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## SUBSTANTIAL EXPANSION OF ROYAL AIR FORCE IS PLANNED

### U.S. REPLY TO BRITAIN ON WAR DEBTS

If \$85,670,000 Paid Then Outside Johnson Act.

INITIATION OF PROPOSALS ADVOCATED

London, To-day.

If Great Britain pays her June 15 war debt instalment of U. S. \$85,670,000 she will remain outside the scope of the Johnson Act, states the American reply to the British debts note.

Should Britain submit proposals for the resumption of payments the United States will gladly discuss them, it adds.

No proposal has ever been presented for payments in kind to an extent that might be found mutually practicable, and such a proposal would be carefully considered, it continues.

#### COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE

The reply reiterates the complete independence of the Allies' debts to Britain and the British debts to the United States and the repayment of the latter cannot be contingent on the fate of the debts due to Britain.

It adds that the position seems to be that Britain does not intend to pay further until the debts are scaled down to an unascertained sum to which Britain might agree. Such a situation calls for the initiation of proposals by the debtor and not by the creditor.

The reply notes that Britain does not intend to repudiate the debt. It concludes that the American people are not disposed to place an impossible burden on debtors. — Reuter.

#### ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT

Washington, To-day. Observers believe that the payment in kind proposal, applicable to all war debtors, will possibly open the way to discussion by the United States on the acceptance of rubber, tin, radium, and other necessities instead of cash.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### HOLLAND URGES GOLD BLOC

Importance Stressed By Netherlands' Bank.

#### BELGIUM MAINTAINS TO GOLD STANDARD

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
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Amsterdam, To-day.

The Netherlands' Bank report issued yesterday, states that it considers the formation of a gold bloc very important. It also warns against devaluation.

The Government maintains its intention to maintain the gold standard and is not prepared to discuss the matter further at present.

It points out that international trade was reduced, following the failure of the World Economic Conference.

A message from Brussels states that the new Cabinet has decided to maintain the gold-standard.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### VICTOR HOO RETURNING TO SHANGHAI

Berne, To-day. Mr. Victor C. Hoo, Chinese Minister to Switzerland and Secretary-General to the Chinese delegation to the League of Nations left here yesterday for Shanghai.—Reuter.

### 50 NEW SQUADRONS IN SCHEME

### 20 AERODROMES AND BIG INCREASE IN PERSONNEL

### APPROXIMATE PARITY WITH FRANCE

London, To-day.

Following the recent pledges made by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Britain will seek parity in the air with the greatest air Power within striking distance if no limitation agreement is obtainable.

The Air Ministry is preparing plans for a substantial expansion of the Royal Air Force and these will be submitted to the Cabinet.

The scheme is likely to make an addition of at least 50 new squadrons, equivalent to 600 machines over a period of years, 20 new R.A.F. aerodromes, and a great increase in personnel.

Excluding 100 machines in India, Britain has 800 first line and about 130 second line air-craft.

THE CONTEMPLATED ADDITION WILL PLACE BRITAIN ON APPROXIMATE PARITY WITH FRANCE.—REUTER.

### CLUES LEAD NOWHERE IN VICE-CONSUL SEARCH

Atmosphere Growing More Tense In Nanking

Nanking, To-day.

All the clues to the whereabouts of the missing Japanese Vice-Consul, Mr. Kuramoto, who has not been seen since Friday evening, have proved negative.

There are no fresh developments, but the atmosphere is growing more tense.—Reuter.

### ARSON GANG AT WORK IN SHANGHAI

British-Owned Garage Victimised.

#### ALLEGED STRIKE SEQUEL

Shanghai, To-day.

Four hire cars, two of which belonged to the British-owned Taylor garage and two to the Chinese-managed Johnson Taxi Service were set on fire with phosphorus by an arson gang almost simultaneously last night in various parts of the Settlement, resulting in the injury of two chauffeurs and considerable damage to the vehicles.

The Settlement Police are looking out for the incendiaries, who are believed to be the leading spirits in the strike of Chinese drivers at the Taylor Garage, which started a few weeks ago and which is still continuing pending settlement.—Reuter.

### WAY TO END U.S. STEEL STRIKE

Election Supervision.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
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Pittsburgh, To-day.

The Rank and File representative, Mr. Forbeck states that if the Government supervised the election of an employees' representative it would end the steel strike threat in the United States.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

#### LOCAL RAINFALL

Rainfall in the Colony during the 24 hours ending 10.30 a.m. to-day was 0.07 inch. The total rainfall since January 1, is 20.39 inches, against an average of 29.34 inches.

### WARRANT FOR THE ARREST OF CHAN LIM-PAK

\$10,000 BAIL IS ESTREATED.

FURTHER CHARGES MIGHT HAVE BEEN LODGED

Defendant In Canton.

An order for the issue of a warrant for the arrest of Mr. Chan Lim-pak, J. P., Managing Director of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company, was made by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, on the failure of Mr. Chan Lim-pak to appear in court to answer six charges of fraudulent appropriation and fraudulent keeping of accounts of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company.

The Magistrate also ordered that the bail of \$10,000 be estreated.

Mr. M. K. Lo, who appeared for the defence at the initial hearing a week ago, informed the Magistrate that just before he was due to come to Court he received a letter from Mr. Chan Lim-pak stating that the latter was called away to Canton on urgent business and asking him to apply for an adjournment.

The Magistrate immediately made an order for a warrant of arrest to be issued, and ordered the bail of \$10,000 to be estreated.

FURTHER CHARGES PROPOSED. Mr. Edgar Davison, who prosecuted on behalf of the complainant, Mr. Johnson Wong, remarked that he had proposed to bring further charges, but under the present circumstances they would have to stand.

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### BELGIAN MISSION IN LONDON.

Audience With King This Morning.

London, To-day.

The Duc Dursel, head of the special mission to announce the accession of the King of the Belgians, arrived in London yesterday afternoon.

The Mission was met by Major-General Sir John Hanbury Williams, Marshal of the Diplomatic Corps, Admiral Sir Henry Buller, specially attached representative of the Foreign Secretary, and the Belgian Ambassador and his staff.

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#### CHINESE LEAVES \$85,000

Letters of Administration to the estate of the late Chan Chan-ping, who died a No. 29 Connaught Road on June 2, 1924, leaving local property valued at \$85,000, have been granted to Chan Yui-kai, a painter, of the same address.

### 100-Year-Old Waterloo Bridge To Be Rebuilt Out Of Revenue

London, To-day.

The London County Council, after a four-hour debate yesterday, adopted, by 76 votes to 47, the joint recommendation of the Highways and Finance Committees that immediate steps should be taken for rebuilding Waterloo Bridge out of the revenue.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, Chairman of the Council, gave an undertaking to the people of London that, whatever the cost of the work falling on the rates, the Council would not spend one penny less on housing, education and necessary services.

The joint report of the Committees mentions that during the last five years substantial sums out of the rates had been set aside to meet the capital expenditure on rebuilding Waterloo Bridge.

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#### WEATHER FORECAST

Fair to showery, with moderate southerly or variable winds, was the weather forecast issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

### UPROARIOUS SENATE SITTING



Chancellor Hitler and the May Queen review a Nazi procession in Berlin from the balcony of the Reich Chancellery.

### ALMOST BLOWS

### NOMINATION OF TUGWELL APPROVED

NO "SOVIETISING" OF U.S.

LENGTHY CROSS-EXAMINATION OF NEW ELECT

WASHINGTON, TO-DAY. POLICE WERE RUSHED TO THE CHAMBER YESTERDAY DURING AN UPROARIOUS SITTING OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE, WHICH DEBATED PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S NOMINATION OF PROFESSOR TUGWELL FOR PROMOTION TO UNDER-SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE.

Several Senators nearly came to blows, but quiet was soon restored.

Prof. Tugwell, lengthily questioned, repeatedly denied that he wished to "Sovietise" the United States, and avowed his belief in the constitution and the national recovery measures taken by President Roosevelt.

The nomination, which is taken as an indication that President Roosevelt has attached little importance to the charges made last March, that the "Brain Trust" was planning to replace the existing social order by Communism, was eventually approved by 16 votes, to 2.—Reuter.

### PROFIT TAX ON SILVER

Treasury Amendment Adopted.

#### MAY APPLY TO ORIENT TRADE

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
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Washington, To-day. In passing the Silver Bill on Monday, the United States Senate adopted the Treasury's amendment exempting from the 50 per cent. profit tax all but speculative profits.

Observers believe that if the conference adopts the Department regulations it will probably exempt bankers buying on the Shanghai Exchange and selling silver futures in New York in the process of legitimately financing trade between the United States and the Far East.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### Conference Now Unnecessary.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
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Washington, To-day. It is indicated that the House of Representatives will concur with the Senate Silver Bill amendments, making a conference unnecessary. The House is expected to consider the amendments before the week-end.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### DEPOSIT GUARANTEE EXTENSION

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
Washington, To-day. The United States Senate has completed Congression at action on the Deposit Guarantee Extension Bill, increasing deposit insurance from U. S. \$2,500 to U. S. \$5,000.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

### SPAIN CATALAN REPUBLIC

### POLITICAL PARTIES SUPPRESSED THROUGHOUT BULGARIA

Italian And German Example Followed By New Rulers.

Sofia, To-day.

Following the examples of Italy and Germany, the new Bulgarian Government has ordered the suppression of all political parties and organisations, and their newspapers.—Reuter.

### "LEG THEORY" CONTROVERSY IN ENGLAND

SEVERE REPRIMAND FOR NOTTS.

OPPOSING COUNTY TEAM MAY WALK OFF FIELD

Sequel To Recent Exploitation Of Body-Line Attack

London, To-day.

The "Evening Standard" states that as a sequel to the recent "leg theory" tactics adopted by Nottinghamshire against Essex and Cambridge University against Sussex, representatives of two of the most famous counties, yesterday at Trent Bridge, the scene of the Test Match, informed the Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club that if fast "leg theory" bowling was used against their counties this season they would not under any circumstances agree to play Notts during the 1935 season.

It was even said that one of these counties was prepared to walk off the field and concede the points for the match during this summer, if fast "leg theory" bowling was introduced in.—Reuter.

### BRITISH IMPORTS CURTAILED.

Denmark's Action.

London, To-day.

Dr. E. L. Burgin, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, stated in the House of Commons, yesterday, that the action of the Danish Government in reducing the number of licences for the import of certain British goods during the first four months of the present year had been the subject of representation to that Government.—British Wireless Service.

### PROCLAMATION ANTICIPATED BY POPULACE

"Death To Traitors" Cries Mob.

SPANISH FLAG REMOVED FROM PRESIDENT'S CAR

Barcelona, To-day.

Troops here are confined to barracks, and the public buildings are guarded by shock-troops owing to the grave situation caused by the dispute with the Central Government over the new Catalan land law.

The only topic of discussion is the possibility of the proclamation of a Catalan Republic.

A huge crowd gathered at the Parliament Buildings yesterday, and shouted, "Long live the Republic. Death to traitors."

The Spanish flag was removed from the President's motor car at Parliament Buildings in order to calm the passions of the crowd.

The president declared that the Central Government will have to use force to prevent the enforcement of the land law.

#### CONTRACTS NULLIFIED

The land law passed by the Catalan Parliament nullifies the contracts with landlords whereby the farmers undertake to pay land taxes and other dues.

The law was referred to the Central Government Tribunal which declared the measure null and void, whereupon 36 Deputies of the Catalan Federalists and Socialists and the Basque Nationalists, walked out of the Cortes declaring that they would not return unless the Government modified its attitude.—Reuter.

### STOP PRESS

Nanking, To-day.

Mr. Kuramoto was found alive in Ming Tomba just outside Nanking at 1 o'clock this afternoon.—Reuter.



## MAIL SCHEDULES

INWARD MAILS.  
FROM EUROPE

Rajputana ..... June 13  
FROM JAPAN

Malacca Maru ..... June 14  
Rawalpindi ..... 15  
Tatsumo Maru ..... 15  
Pres. Grant ..... 15  
General Pershing ..... 20  
Shirala ..... 21  
Aisuta Maru ..... 21

## FROM AMERICA &amp; CANADA

June  
Pres. Grant ..... 15  
Pres. Hoover ..... 15

## FROM MANILA

June  
Empress of Asia ..... 13  
Pres. Hoover ..... 15  
Kamo Maru ..... 21

## FROM SHANGHAI

June  
Rawalpindi ..... 15  
Pres. Grant ..... 15  
Andre Lebon ..... 19  
Aganomon ..... 20  
General Pershing ..... 20

## FROM STRAITS

June  
Kutwang ..... 14  
Calchus ..... 18  
Penang Maru ..... 19  
Yasukuni Maru ..... 19  
Mayohashi Maru ..... 20

## OUTWARD MAILS.

## FOR EUROPE

June  
Emp. of Asia (via Vancouver) ..... 15  
Pres. Hoover (via Siberia) ..... 15  
Rawalpindi (Air Mail Service) ..... 16  
Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.

## FOR JAPAN

June  
Empress of Asia ..... 15  
Jean Laborde ..... 19  
Yasukuni Maru ..... 19

## FOR MANILA

June  
Pres. Grant ..... 16

## FOR SHANGHAI

June  
Empress of Asia ..... 15  
Jean Laborde ..... 16  
Yasukuni Maru ..... 19

## FOR STRAITS &amp; INDIA

Menelaus ..... 13  
Cromer ..... 14  
Rawalpindi ..... 19

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## SQUARE FLAP-JACK

Square flap-jack made of mirror glass—a lovely trifle for evening use, was seen in one of London's shops recently.

## TARTAN SCARF AND BAG SET

The popular modern scarf and bag set can be made from a piece of tartan silk or crepe.

## The Woman's Page

## NEW IDEAS SEEN IN FASHION DISPLAY.

Paris. Dancers preferring trains, which they gather up and either fold over the arm, or attach to the little finger by means of a concealed loop under the hem of the skirt were seen here recently. Decolletes simply gone haywire, taking all conceivable shapes, both back and front; the nude back, with straps holding the front crossing and fastening with a jeweled pin at the back of the neck, the back slit into separate bands; boat-shaped necklines standing out all around with little difference in depth between the back and front; squarish necklines with the corners to stand up over the aligrettes or even birds poised at arms, drooping their wings back and front; sleeves are shredded in novel ways for the upper part of the arm and solid from the elbow to wrist on a number of dinner gowns.

## NEW SHOULDER SILHOUETTE.

Paris. The sharp edge has been taken off our silhouette. In the future—the immediate future that is, which is as far as we are allowed to see—we are going in for rounded effects. This is most conspicuously realized where shoulders are concerned for it is here that angles have been prominent. But don't get the idea that we shall be round-shouldered. Nothing is more destroying to a well-groomed appearance. And this is why creating rounded effects not only is a difficult problem but a delicate one.



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## Business Outfit



For business and also for afternoon wear, Claudia Dell, the blonde motion picture star, shows advantage this charming summer costume. It consists of a black skirt and a trim blouse of plaid material with an unusual shoulder effect.

## FOUNDATION GARMENTS BEAT SEAMLESS HIPS

Paris. Foundation garments of satin or batiste Lustex are fashioned with a diagonal pull at both sides, which eliminate the necessity for boning, even up to size 40. The fashioning automatically does away with side seams. This same construction applies to girdles, too, and a smoother idea has never been thought of.

## EVENING WRAPS IN PARIS

Evening wraps run to cape motifs in fur—ermine, chinchilla, sable, mink and seal—and fabric, heavy failles, satin, velvet, lame capes and Patou's sun-pleated and Schiaparelli's longer quilted chiffon models are popular here. When coats are worn they are usually three-quarter and cut on the awagger line, attention being devoted to the sleeve and a rounded shoulder.

## New Uplift Brassier For Day Or Evening.

For daytime and evening fashions that require a supple line, and are preferably worn with a lingerie-type of all-in-one garment, there is a new uplift brassiere that is really only half a brassiere. The upper portion of the bust is exposed, and the uplift line achieved by these little half-brassieres that are made of firm fabric, such as satin.

## Sailor Hat Survives

The sailor hat survives in the midst of all this off-the-face furor. The newest sailors are very pert and youthful. They must be shallow, and worn at just the right tilting angle. Very young spring suits will do well to have a straw sailor in reserve for a complete change of silhouette. Spring sailor hats are trimmed with ribbon bands in self or bright colours. Plaids are still another possibility. Feather bands in a riot of tropical colours add a dressy touch to sailors for wear with dressmaker suits.

## HOW TO APPLY LIQUID ROUGE

"Liquid rouge...is put on with the fingertips, and it must be placed quite correctly before it has time to dry. The best thing is to moisten the cheeks with a little water before the rouge is put on."

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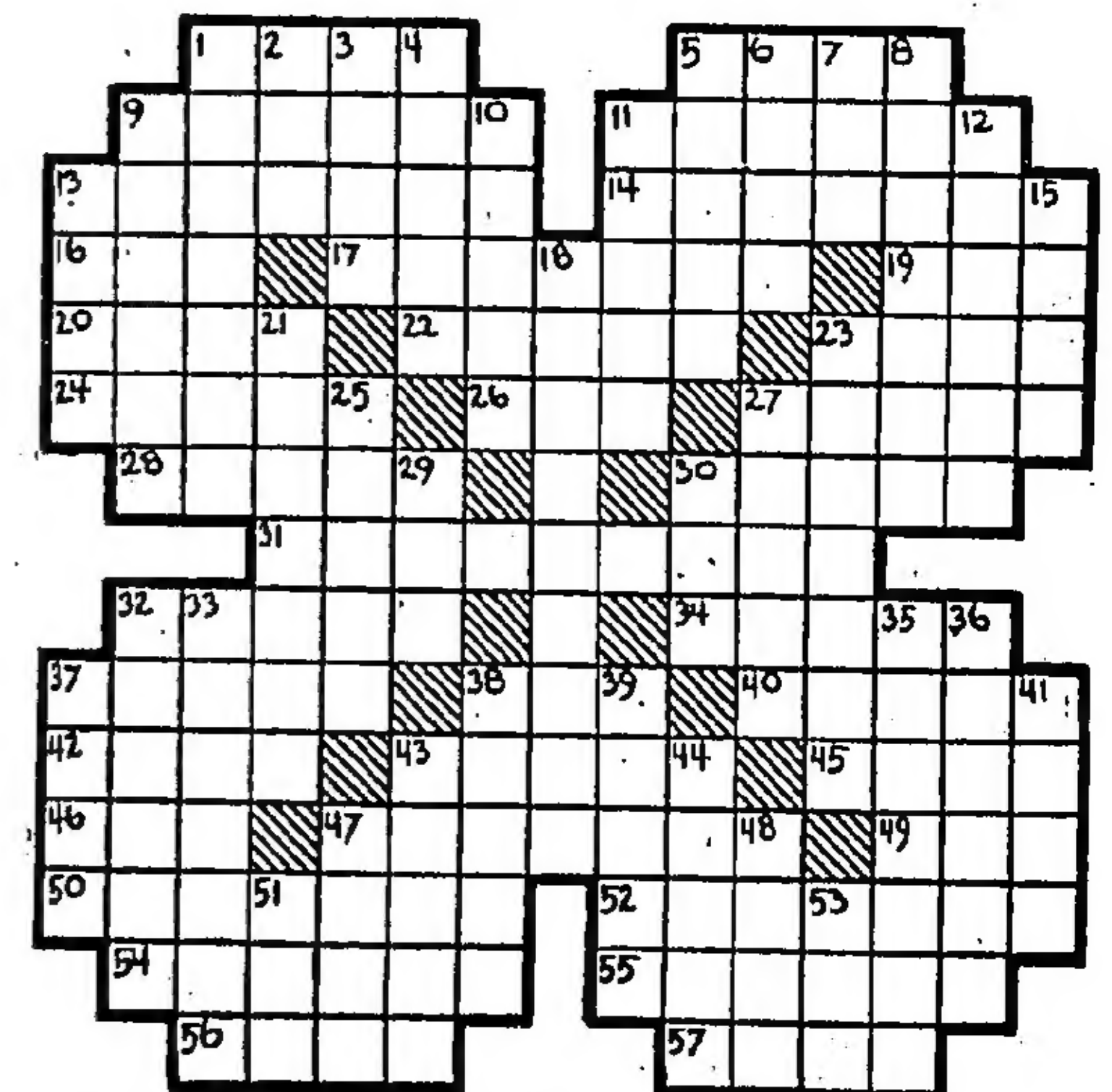
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## DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



## HORIZONTAL

1-Vessel  
5-Heavenly body  
9-Torments  
11-Views  
13-Mold  
14-A soldier's drinking flask  
16-High (Mus.)  
17-Disturbance  
19-French ells (abbr.)  
20-To unite metal by fusing  
22-A diving bird (pl.)  
23-A Portuguese coin (pl.)  
24-Jacar  
26-Prefix. Before  
27-Inflamed places on the skin  
28-Cornered  
30-Accumulate  
31-Conviction  
32-Molt  
34-A tropical fruit (pl.)  
37-Grade  
38-Spider's home  
40-Leases  
42-Down from above

## HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

43-Earth (Lat.)  
45-Terrible  
46-Uneven  
47-Gift  
49-Look  
50-Rendered divine  
52-Hardened  
54-Large fish-net (pl.)  
55-Part of a horse's harness  
56-Steeps, as flax  
57-To cut (Prov., Eng.)

## VERTICAL

1-Colonist  
2-Head covering  
3-River in Bohemia  
4-Danger  
5-Blamable  
6-Half a score (pl.)  
7-An insect  
8-Short overcoat  
9-Skill  
10-To pry into things  
11-Landscape

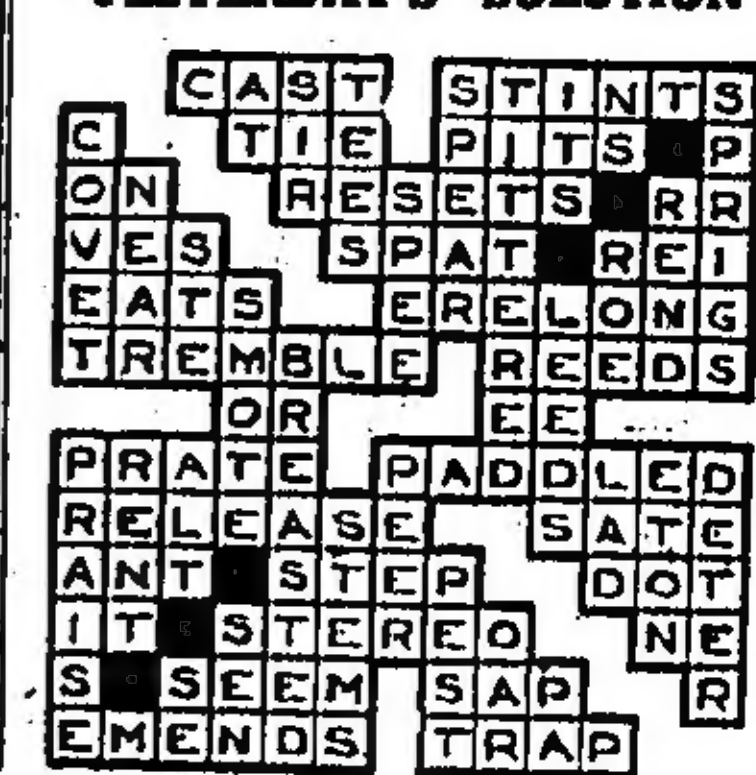
## VERTICAL (Cont.)

12-A connected succession  
13-Animal feast  
15-A cage  
18-Those who inflict pain  
21-Most profound  
23-Cooked in an oven  
25-Long grass stems  
27-Stain  
29-Doctors (abbr.)  
30-Augment  
32-Slips  
33-More convenient  
35-Isolated (Post.)  
36-City thoroughfare  
37-Lump of clay  
38-Worthless plants  
39-Naval station in N. W. France  
41-Plant  
43-Large plants  
44-Stake in cards (pl.)  
47-Liquid measure  
48-A quill-like bird  
51-An expression of impatience  
53-Before

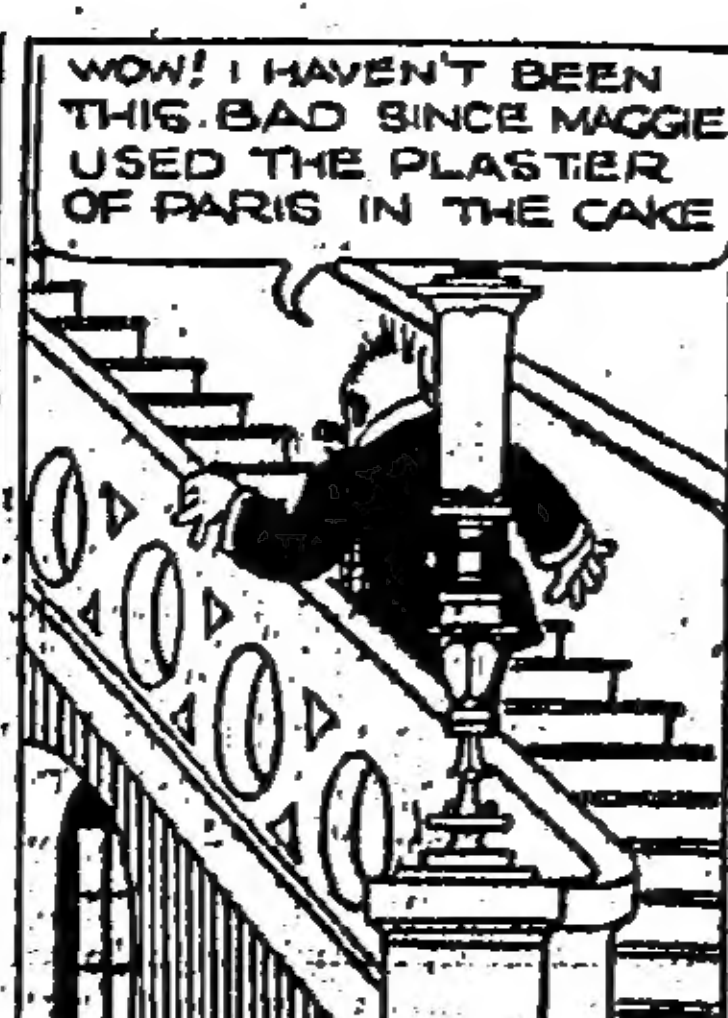
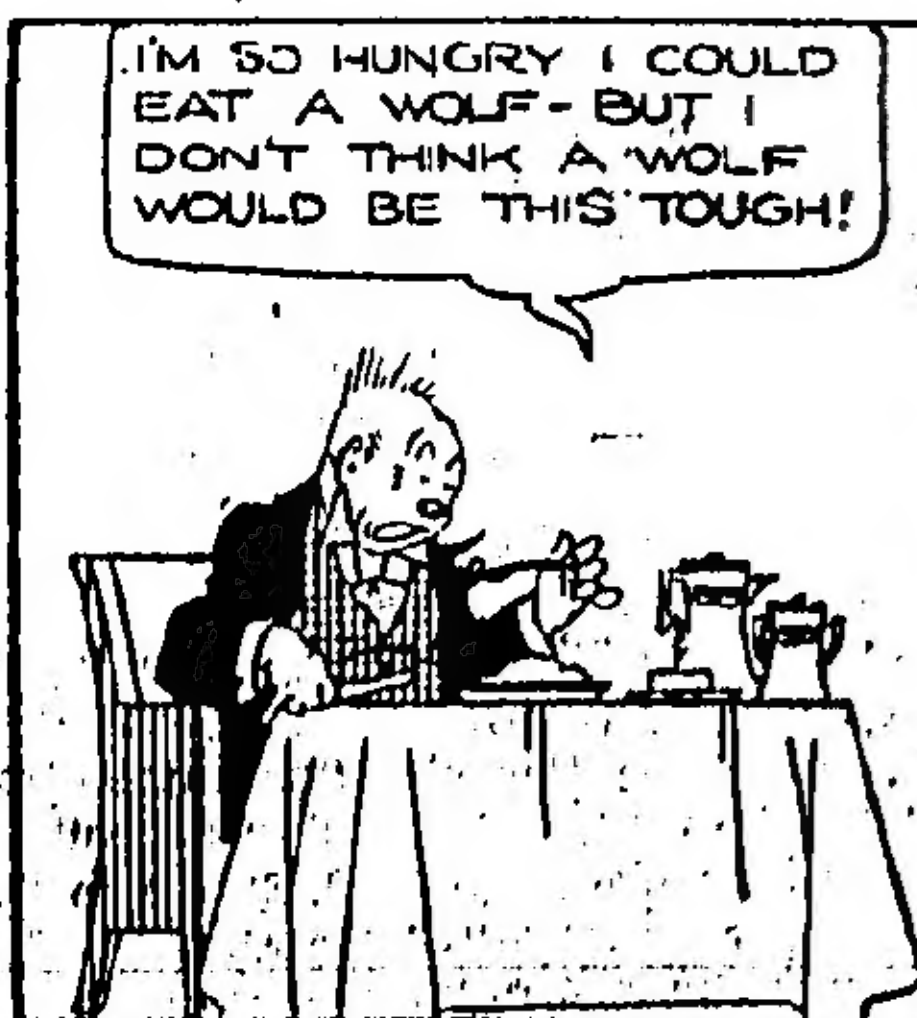
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For the information of visitors the following list of some of the highest points on the Island and Mainland is published:—

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Victoria Peak	1,823
Signal Station	1,774
Mt. Parker	1,784
Mountain Lodge	1,725
The Eyrie	1,725
Peak Hotel	1,805
Talkoo Sanatorium	1,000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (Alterhoda)	297
Mainland.	Feet
Talmoshan	2,124
Kowloon Peak	1,971

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### BRIDGE NOTES

#### Partner Trouble

by Ely Culbertson.

One of the most serious drawbacks to good results in Contract games is the lack of confidence in the partnership of the moment or the evening. It is probably behind a great many of the much publicised discussions between husbands and wives during and following Bridge games.

The husband, feeling that after all his wife, living a sheltered life, cannot take a man's view of things and follows too rigidly the rules laid down in books, makes bids that his wife cannot understand. She knows they are unsound according to all authorities and governs herself accordingly. The result of this lack of confidence is usually a disaster.

However, not nearly all the present trouble at the Bridge table is between married folk. Even two men may sometimes reach very bad results as, for instance, in the hands below.

North, Dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

North:—  
S—2  
H—Q 10 7 5 2  
D—A K Q J 7 3  
C—4

South:—  
S—A K Q 7 4 3  
H—A K 8 4 3  
D—6  
C—7

The bidding.

North	South
1D	2S
3D	4S
5H	6H
7D	7NT
Pass	

The above was the actual bidding and the hand was set six tricks, though it was a laydown for six spades, six hearts or six diamonds. The holder of the South hand submitted it to me and asked me to decide who was to blame for the unfortunate result.

In my opinion the correct bidding is as follows:

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

North	South
1D (1)	2S (2)
3D (3)	3H (4)
4H (5)	4NT (6)
6H (7)	Pass

1—Although the hand does not contain 2½ honour-tricks, the length and strength of the diamonds and the distribution justify the slight shading.

2—The Forcing Takeout is obvious.

3—Disclosing rebid strength in suit.

4—At this point South has alternative bids. A rebid of the spade suit is justified by the length and strength but disclosure of the distribution is slightly more important.

5—Actually, North might raise the hearts to five, but he should avoid too strong a response in order to prevent the bidding of the Grand Slam.

6—Showing two Aces and the King of the bid suit.

7—North's bid of six hearts denies the possession of two Aces but, in view of South's bidding, the safety of the Small Slam is assured.

The actual bidding in the later rounds threw caution to the winds and the natural result, a disastrous set, followed.

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the management of a floating palace to help a friend, who is in trouble with the rival captain of a gambling ship. The war that follows between the two is packed with thrills and drama.

The action of the story takes the audience outside the three-mile limit along the American Pacific Coast.

**"GUILTY AS HELL"—MAJESTIC THEATRE**

"Guilty as Hell" is a mystery drama in which comedy is provided by Edmund Lowe and Victor McLaglen. It is Paramount's latest attraction.

The film is an adaptation of Broadway play, which deals with the "murder of Dr. Tindal's wife. Victor McLaglen, as the detective Inspector, and Edmund Lowe, as the reporter, are called upon to solve the mystery.

### Spartan Mother



Mrs. Amber Bradway, of Medina, Ohio, and her son, Clinton, whom she helped to indict when she sat on the Grand Jury before which he appeared on a burglary charge. Despite the court's permission to claim exemption, Mrs. Bradway insisted on doing her duty and voted with other jurors in the indictment.

### Amusements

#### Cinema Notes

#### "THE MARCUS SHOW"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

The Marcus Show is filled with a galaxy of beautiful girls, comedies, songs, dances, acrobatics, and skits that are punctuated with rhythm. The girls are livelier and lovelier, than any other touring troupe seen in the Colony before, and it is one of the cleverest, most expensive and most beautiful revues ever brought to the Far East.

Much credit is due to Charles Hugo, the managing director and Leon Miller, the dance director and production manager. Miller is not only dance director and production manager but a first-class comedian. There are so many stars in this production that it is difficult to select any individual other than Miller for an outstanding performance.

The Marcus Show is daring and sophisticated without being vulgar.

#### "SMOKY"—KING'S THEATRE

Exceedingly well photographed and dramatically screened "Smoky," the latest Fox Film release, now showing at the King's Theatre, brings to the screen the story of a wild horse immortalized in Will James's best seller of the same name.

Irene Bentley and Victor Jory have the romantic roles, while Will James himself plays a prominent part in the picture.

"Smoky" is the story of a wild horse foaled on the plains of the West. Branded as a killer, he is known for his hatred of men. Only one man can understand him and to him the horse shows undying devotion. This friendship of man and beast is the basis of the film.

#### "PARLOR, BEDROOM AND BATH"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

Adapted from the Broadway stage success, "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," is pervaded with hilarious amusement by Buster Keaton in the role of a "great lover."

Dorothy Christy, as the girl who captures Keaton, Reginald Denny, as the matchmaker, Cliff Edwards as the bell-boy, Koon Peers, Sally Ellers, Natalie Moorhead, Edward Brophy, Walter Merrill, Sidney Bracy and Charlotte Greenwood, all play a prominent part in the film.

#### "GAMBLING SHIP"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

Cary Grant, Benita Hume, Jack LaRue, Glenda Farrell and Roscoe Karns are featured in Paramount's latest release, "Gambling Ship," now showing at the Alhambra Theatre.

The film, directed by Louis Gasnier and Max Marzin, is splendidly cast with Grant in the role of a big-city racketeer who takes up

### RADIO

#### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcasted to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (845 K.C.s):—

1-2.15 p.m.—European Programme.  
1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.30 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room by courtesy of the Management.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

Selections by the "Music Makers"

A talk by Mr. C. C. Felham to-night

4.30-7.30 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

6-6.15 p.m.—Children's Studio Concert.

7.30-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

7.30-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

9 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

7.30-8.10 p.m.—Variety and Dance Music.

Song—

Every Little White

Try Gettin' a good Night's Sleep

Frances Maddux (Soprano)

Fox Trot—Nice Gongs On—

With you here and me here.

Whatever you do

Debray Somers Band.

Organ Solo—

My Song Goes Round the World

By a Waterfall

Frederic Bayco.

Song—

Lover Come Back to Me

"The New Moon"

Lawrence Tibbett (Baritone)

Fox Trot—

Everything I Have is yours

Sing a Little Low-Down Tune

George Olsen and his Music.

Piano Solo—

Piano Pie (No. 2)

George Scott Wood.

8.10-8.33 p.m.—Band Music.

Marching with Sousa

Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

The Evolution of Dixie

The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

Entry of the Gladiators—March

(Fuehl)

Sons of the Brave—March (Midgood)

The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

8.33-9 p.m.—Selections from Gilbert & Sullivan's "Iolanthe"

(Recorded under the direction of

Rupert D'Oyly Carte)

1. Oh, Pussycat

Bertha Lewis & Chorus of Girls

2. The Papa I May Incur your Blame

Winifred Lawson, Derek Oldham, Darrell Fancourt and Sydney

Granville.

3. Bow, Bow, Ye Lower Middle

Classes

Chorus of Men.

4. The Law is the True Embodiment

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

### CHILD ESCAPES DEATH

#### Swept Down Culvert By Torrent.

#### RESCUED ABOVE WATERFALL

Hamilton, Ontario.

After falling into a raging mountain creek and being whirled 50 feet under a roadway in a culvert pipe, Margaret Scott, two-year-old, was rescued uninjured on the brink of a cascade.

When Margaret was sucked into the culvert, her sister's cries attracted the attention of a man nearby.

He reached the water just as the little girl emerged again into the swirling stream.

Struggling against a strong current, he reached her just in time to prevent her being dashed over the cascade on to the jagged rocks below.

Having carried her ashore, the rescuer disappeared without disclosing his identity.—Reuter.

George Baker & Chorus of Men.

5. Fare Thee Well, Attractive Stranger

Bertha Lewis and Chorus

6. Good Morrow, Good Lover—

None Shall Part Us

Winifred Lawson & Leslie Hands

7. Strophon's A Member of Parliament

Mixed Chorus

8. When Britain Really Ruled the Waves

Darrell Fancourt and Mixed Chorus

9. In Vain To Us You Plead

Nellie Walker, Alice Moxon, Derek Oldham, Darrell Fancourt and Chorus of Girls.

10. Loudly Let the Trumpet Bray

Chorus of Men

9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by the "Music Makers"

9.30-10 p.m.—From the Studio.

"Topical Talks on the United Kingdom" by Mr. G. C. Felham (H. M. Trade Commissioner)

10-10.20 p.m.—A Programme of Brahms' Works.

Violin Solo—

Hungarian Danced No. 2 in D Minor

Arthur Catterall.

Orchestral—

Hungarian Dance No. 5 in F Sharp

Minor

Royal Opera Orchestra Covent Garden.

Pianoforte Solo—

Rhapsody in E Flat

Benne Moisevitich.

Orchestral—

Hungarian Dance No. 6

San Francisco Symphony Orch.

Violin Solo—

Waltz in A Flat Major

Isolde Menges.

10.20-10.30 p.m.—"Old Times"



# Sporting Page

## WOMAN GOLFER'S RECORD

DOROTHY ROUND & AUTEUIL

ANOTHER HENDREN BENEFIT

(By ROVER)

MISS Gourlay's record round in the British Women's Golf Championship at Royal Portcawl was due mainly to her brilliant short game. She was deadly with her chip shots, and holed out with such strokes at the second and thirteenth before another fine chip helped her to get a 4 at the home hole after she had pulled her second under a fence. Miss Gourlay's card read:

Out: 4, 3, 4, 3, 6, 4, 4, 5, 4—37.  
Home: 4, 3, 5, 3, 3, 6, 4, 5, 4—37.  
Total, 74.

### MISS ROUND'S DECISION

I gather that Miss Round decided not to compete in the French championships several weeks before the entries closed. Immediately after Wimbledon last year she undertook a strenuous tour in America. She did not reach home until Christmas, having visited Hong Kong on her return journey. Later she went to Jamaica for more match play. She had only recently taken part in the British hard court championships at Bournemouth.

Miss Round is only human, and it seems natural she should desire a rest before the Wightman Cup matches this month and the championships at Wimbledon, which follow. I doubt, despite all that has been written to the contrary, whether her recognised objection to Sunday play has influenced her decision.

### NEGRO BOXER WINS

Jimmy Tarante, coloured American cruiser-weight, knocked out Eddie Pierce, of South Africa, with a right-hand punch to the body in the fifth round of a 12 (3 min.) rounds contest at the Ring, London, recently.

It was a poor contest. Tarante did all the attacking and Pierce often ran into clinches to save himself. Tarante was knocked out by Len Harvey in his previous bout.

### ENDEAVOUR'S RIVAL

The Velsheda, a sister yacht of the Endeavour, Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's new America's Cup challenger, gave promise during the sailing recently of being the greatest rival of the Endeavour.

The meeting between the two yachts, built to the rules governing the America's Cup races, will be the most exciting and exciting yacht contest that has been sailed in British water for many years.

The Endeavour holds a slight superiority over the Velsheda in that she has secret wind-direction equipment enabling sails to be trimmed without loss of time should a change of wind occur.

### SWIMMER RETIRING

Miss Joyce Cooper, the English champion, who has just returned to England from an Australian tour, has confirmed her intention of retiring from competitive swimming.

"Although I feel that I am swimming quite as well as in the past, I think I can only go downhill now," said Miss Cooper. "I do not mind being beaten, but I think champions should retire when at their best."

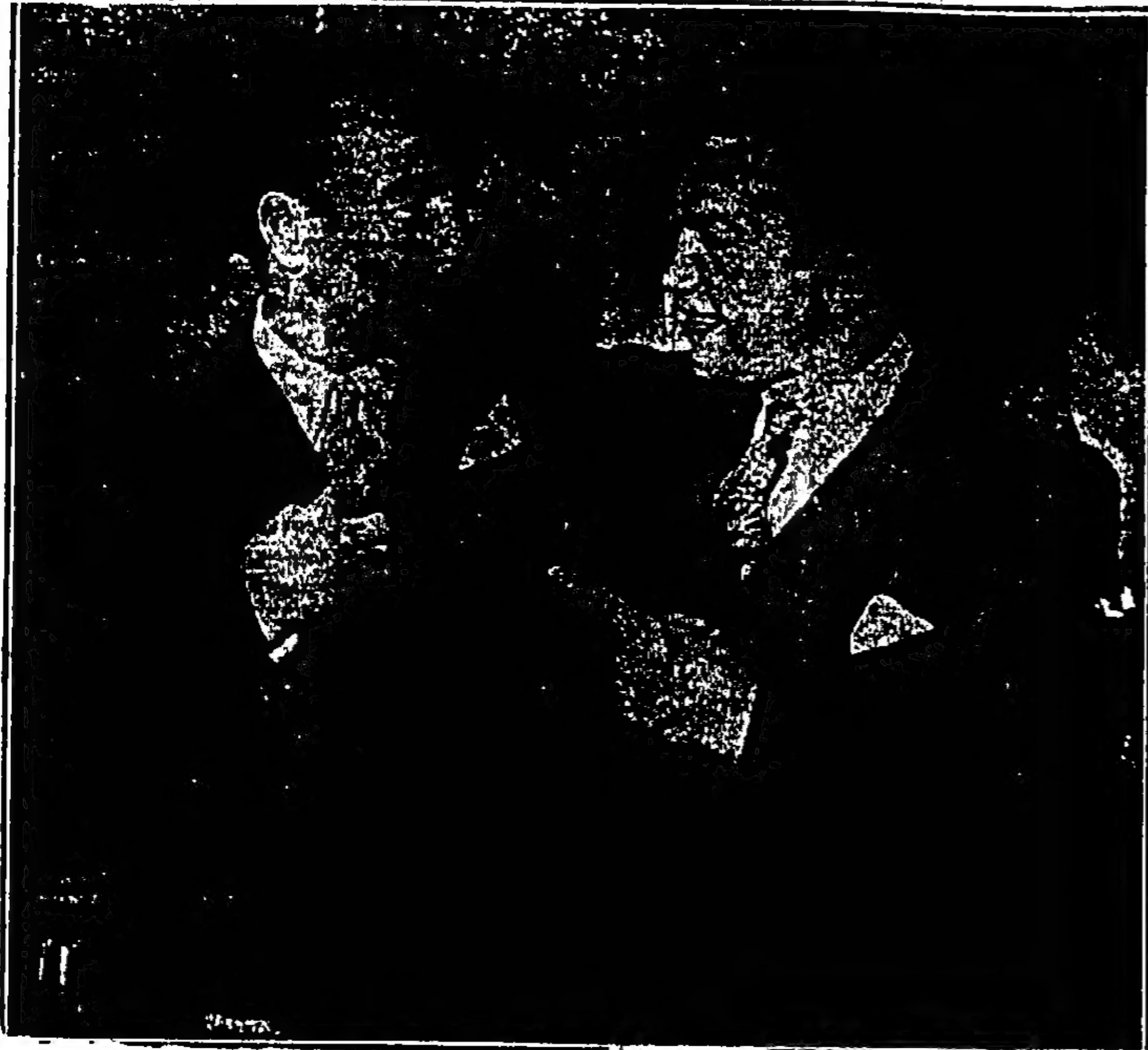
Asked whether she intended to give up racing immediately or at the end of the present season, Miss Cooper said: "There are the Empire Games ahead, but I have made no definite decision."

### HENDREN'S BENEFIT

Middlesex have re-engaged Patsy Hendren for three years and promised him another benefit. Where would they be without him?

By the way, Hendren made three catches for Middlesex against Gloucester, and hit Goddard for

## Close Harmony: "I've Got My Finger on You!"



Both Jimmy McLarin (left), former world's welterweight champion, and Barney Ross, new holder and also lightweight champion, point "warning" fingers at each other after having signed contracts for their recent fight at Long Island Bowl. Ross astounded the critics by recording a well-deserved win on points over the holder.

## CARNERA AS PARIS THIRD RATER

Trevor Wignall Tells How He Was Found COLOURFUL CAREER

THE fact that Primo Carnera, the giant Italian boxer who has risen in a few years to world champion, once fought in unimportant tournaments in Paris, is revealed by Mr. Trevor C. Wignall, one of London's leading sporting journalists.

Mr. Wignall said: "You must be interested in Carnera, and so a few words about the burly Italian will be of some interest. I think I had much to do with the early part of his career."

"THAT BIG FOREIGN CHAP." "It happened like this. Jeff Dickson, who was during the War a flying officer in the American Air Force, had arranged for some sort of tournament in London, but at the last moment one of his competitors died and other arrangements seemed to be failing.

Rather than go on with the job Dickson decided to throw up the sponge. I persuaded him, however, against such an action for the reason that his rivals would have a laugh over him.

### TITLE BOUT ON THURSDAY

Though efforts were made to postpone the championship bout between Primo Carnera, world champion, and Max Baer, on account of the latter's untimely death, the match will be staged on Thursday.

I told him that if he wanted a man to fill the bill what about getting that big foreign chap who figured in one of those mild tournaments in Paris some months earlier. Neither he nor I knew the name. Eventually we traced the chap and he was brought to my office.

### "HE HAS BRAINS"

"That he has brains was indicated by the way he handled my typewriter, the like of which apparently he had not seen before. He tried to use the keys but whenever he touched one two fell into place. He then flicked the edges with his finger and that certainly not only showed his thinking cap-

three sixes, when he had a sore throat and a temperature of just one hundred. He played against orders because it was a sticky wicket.

city but also revealed the strength of the man, for I do not believe anyone could flick the keys of the machine in the same adroit manner as did Carnera that afternoon in my room.

"Seeing a good story for my paper I decided to give Carnera a front page announcement and secured photos of his foot, his hand with its clenched fist, his face and his biceps and put them on the front page with those of my own for comparative purposes. It was a marvellous piece of advertisement and it told.

### WATCHING THE GIANT EAT

"Even the cafes made Carnera a good medium, and one Soho restaurant advertised the fact that Carnera was to eat in that place and that it was worth going a long way to see him eat for he ate considerably. Now, that was not true, for few men eat less than does the giant Italian.

"I have never seen such a foot in my life and indeed so huge a man in the ring. Everyone now knows that Carnera never hits as hard as other boxers do. That is, he never uses his closed fist, for if he does it would mean instantaneous death to its receiver. He has found a method: he opens the fist in such a way that he gets a good hard shot that goes home. Well, that night in London Carnera made his debut receiving £100 a week as expenses for himself and his manager-trainer.

### TALKIE ENTHUSIAST

"At the commencement of his boxing career he knew no English but now speaks a mixture of Oxford and boot-legger English, picked up at the talks to which he regularly goes. It is remarkable how he has so soon learnt the language and as he told me, it was the desire to master it that took him to the talks so frequently.

"And do you know he wears a gum shield fitted with teeth, and this enables him to look extremely ugly in the ring? There are innumerable legends built around him and I myself have been responsible for a few but there is mostly nothing in them; Carnera lends himself admirably to those queer stories.

### FIRED VERDICT ON A FOUL

"The first time Carnera appeared in a big fight in London the

## S. CHINA GALA PROCEEDS

\$957 Donated To S.P.C. As Result.

AS a result of the South China Athletic Association's Swimming Gala, held on Saturday night last, in conjunction with the Women's Auxiliary, in aid of the funds of the Society for the Protection of Children, a cheque for \$726.44 was yesterday sent to Mrs. Amps, the Hon. Secretary of the Women's Auxiliary.

This amount, together with \$231 retained by Mrs. Amps in respect of the 77 tickets sold by the Women's Auxiliary, brings the net amount received by the Women's Auxiliary for the S. P. C. to \$957.44.

The S.C.A.A. desires once more to thank all helpers for the successful outcome of the Fete, and in particular the China Emporium Ltd., The Sincere Co., Ltd., The Sun Co., Ltd., and the Wing On Co., Ltd. for donating all the prizes in connection with the Fete.

## SIDNEY LEE BEATS INMAN.

Debut Win For New Professional.

It is remarkable that young Sidney Lee, the amateur billiard champion, who recently joined the professional ranks, has won his first match under his new status. He was matched with Inman, and given 2,000 start in a fortnight's play. Lee won, after an interesting match in which he frequently outperformed Inman, by more than his start.

Lee, whose father is a hotel proprietor at Streatham, may develop in time into a compeer of the giants of the professional arena.

Prince was there to see him and apparently His Royal Highness, too, was fascinated by the great big Italian and invited him to supper. That was at Albert Hall and Stribling was his opponent. That was a memorable match for the referee gave the Italian the verdict on a foul. Stribling had previously knocked down Carnera for a count of nine seconds. Three weeks later they met in another match, which Stribling won on a foul.

"Carnera has had a colourful career and has won most of the big fights in which he has figured. In Rome I saw him beat Paolino Uccidum, the Spanish Basque, easily. On that occasion S. Ignor Mussolini witnessed a boxing match for the first time. On Feb. 26 last he beat Tommy Loughran at Miami, Florida."

## EASY VICTORY FOR K.C.C.

Club Overcome C.R.C. "C".

### THREE "A" DIVISION MATCHES WASHED OUT

Only two of the "A" Division Lawn Tennis League matches scheduled to take place yesterday were played, the other three being cancelled owing to wet courts.

At home, the Kowloon Cricket Club defeated the Chinese Recreation Club "B" team without difficulty, by 6 sets to 3, while at Causeway Bay the Hong Kong Cricket Club defeated the Chinese R. C. "C" team by 7 sets to 2.

The United Services courts, where the Chinese R. C. "A" team were to have met the Services, are being re-turfed and the spare courts were too sodden for play.

## FINCHER BROTHERS ON FORM

GOOD EXHIBITION BY TAM YOC-FONG

THE Kowloon Cricket Club recorded their fourth win by defeating the Chinese Recreation Club "B" team by 6 sets to 3 at home in the "A" Division Lawn Tennis League yesterday.

Horace Lo was a notable absentee from the C.R.C., being replaced by Tso Ching-yu.

Wet courts necessitated a dressing of sawdust, which slowed play considerably. The Chinese, who were very fast, found difficulty in retaining their balance.

The Fincher brothers played well, winning their three sets for the loss of only six games. In their set against Lu Tak-lam and Tam Yoc-fong they combined well, baffling the Chinese pair throughout. Ernie Fincher played a strong game, his cross court drives being most effective, while Teddie's play was steady and accurate. Although beaten the Chinese pair played gamely to the end of the set.

Former Champion on Form F. Grose and A. E. P. Guest played a slow and careful game against Ng Sze-kwong, former singles champion, and C. C. Chiu. Ng's game was not fast enough for the well-placed shots of his opponents, but his volleying and smashing won him many points.

The set between Hyde and Rodger and Ng Kam-chuen and Tso Ching-yu was the best of the afternoon. Playing on the best court, the K.C.C. pair started well. The Chinese, however, rallied, to go out at 6-3.

Scores: E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.):—

beat Ng Sze-kwong and C. Chiu 6-2  
beat Lu Tak-lam and Tam Yoc-fong 6-3  
beat Ng Kam-chuen and Tso Ching-yu 6-1  
F. Grose and A. E. P. Guest (K.C.C.):—  
beat Ng and Chiu 6-1  
lost to Lu and Tam 3-6  
beat Ng and Tso 6-3  
W. Hyde and J. Rodger (K.C.C.):—  
lost to Ng and Chiu 5-7  
beat Lu and Tam 6-3  
lost to Ng and Tso 3-6

## "Shorts Are Lucky To Me" Says American Woman Tennis Ace

Miss Helen Jacobs, who arrived in Paris from Milan just ahead of the other members of the American Wightman Cup tennis team, stated that she had every intention of playing in shorts at Wimbledon as she did in the French Championships.

"Shorts have proved very lucky to me ever since I played in them in the American final last year against Mrs. Wills-Moody," she said.

The French officials decided that there should be no ban upon women wearing shorts in the French championships.

"English girls need have no compunction about wearing shorts," declared a leading official of the French Federation, "al-

## HUDDERSFIELD WIN SOCCER IN COPENHAGEN

Derby County Beaten By Germany On Tour

Several English football clubs played matches on the Continent recently.

In Copenhagen Huddersfield Town defeated a combined Copenhagen team by 2 goals to 0, but in Cologne Derby County lost to Germany by 5-0.

Manchester City in Florence drew with Fiorentina F.B.A. 3-3, after being led by the odd goal of three at half-time.

## SWEEPING VICTORY FOR H.K.C.C.

Kwok And Liang Only C.R.C. "C" Scorers.

ALTHOUGH deprived of their best players, L. Goldman, W. A. Duff and G. R. M. Ricketts, the Hong Kong Cricket Club defeated the Chinese Recreation Club "C" team by the comfortable margin of 7 sets to 2 in the "A" Division Lawn Tennis League at Causeway Bay yesterday.

G. W. Sewell gave a very creditable performance on his first appearance in "A" Division tennis, and, in spite of lack of practice, played a very sound game.

R. H. Wild bore the brunt of his sets in partnership with H. J. Armstrong, whose play was not up to "A" Division standard.

The best C.R.C. pair were F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang, who won two of their three sets. Kwok was very strong on his fore-hand and back-hand, although somewhat reckless at times. His partner played a steady game.

The majority of the C.R.C. men have been playing tennis for a little more than a year, but gave a spirited, although unpolished exhibition.

### Scores:

F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.):—  
beat A. L. Sullivan and G. W. Sewell 6-3  
lost to R. H. Wild and H. J. Armstrong 2-6  
beat T. A. Pearce and E. Bathurst 6-2  
H. Y. Ho and L. Li (C.R.C.):—  
lost to Sullivan and Sewell 3-6  
lost to Wild and Armstrong 4-6  
lost to Pearce and Bathurst 3-6  
K. Au and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.):—  
lost to Sullivan and Sewell 4-6  
lost to Wild and Armstrong 0-6  
lost to Pearce and Bathurst 3-6

### "A" DIVISION LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

C.R.C. "A"	P	W	L	D	Sets	Points
S.C.A.A.	4	0	0	32	4	8
K.C.C.	5	1	0	24	20	8
H.K.C.	4	1	0	21	12	6
Recreio	4	2	0	20	15	4
H. K. C. C.	4	2	0	19	15	4
C. R. C. "B"	5	1	0	14	39	2
U.S.R.C.	4	0	0	9	27	0
C. R. C. "C"	4	0	0	7	25	0
C. C. C.	2	0	2	5	13	0

### Next Weeks Matches:

H.K.C.C.	v	C.R.C. "A"
U.S.R.C.	v <td>K.C.C.</td>	K.C.C.
C.R.C. "B"	v <td>C.R.C. "C"</td>	C.R.C. "C"
C.C.C.	v <td>C. de R.</td>	C. de R.

## 49 SHOTS SCORED AT TAIKOO

Fraser And Chapman Crush Opponents.

OMAR AND BRADBURY SUCCEED

A score of 49 shots by J. Fraser and A. Chapman in their match against D. Fitches and J. Kelly at Taikoo Docks was the outstanding feature of yesterday's lawn bowls matches.

Six Open Pairs matches and two Open Singles matches were played off, and, in spite of soggy greens, some excellent bowling was witnessed.



Record Win

The remarkable score of 40 shots up was witnessed at the Taikoo green when J. Fraser and A. Chapman, the K. C. C. Yacht Club combination, defeated D. Fitches and J. Kelly by 49 shots to 9 in the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship yesterday.

### Post And Perkins Win

On the Indian R. C. rink E. G. Post and G. Perkins (Police) recorded a comfortable victory over their clubmates, W. Forrest and W. McHardy, by 31 shots to 11 in the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championships yesterday.

### Way And Gomes Win

W. K. Way and A. S. Gomes (C. C. C.) experienced no difficulty in beating W. W. Hirst and C. J. Tschel, the K. C. C. pair, by 22 shots to 14 in their Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship match at the Club de Recreio yesterday.

### Omar And Bradbury Win

On the Civil Service green U. M. Omar and B. W. Bradbury (C. C. C.) defeated their clubmates, R. F. Luz and W. Ward, by the handsome margin of 29 shots to 12 in the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship yesterday.

### Close Match At K. D. R. C.

On the Kowloon Docks green, V. Petherick and J. Watson, (K. B. C. C.) defeated A. O. Brawn and B. E. Maughan, of the Civil Service, by the narrow margin of 21 shots to 19 in the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship yesterday.

### Hampton Leads Carey

On the 28rd. head H. Hampton (K. C. C.) defeated A. E. Carey (Police) by 21 shots to 15 in their Open Singles Lawn Bowls championship match on the Civil Service Green yesterday.

### Easy Win For Fergusson

T. Fergusson (K.C.C.) recorded a comfortable win over R. Ellis (Police) in the open singles. Lawn Bowls championship on the Club de Recreio green yesterday by 21 shots to 9.

Fergusson gained an early lead and scored steadily, recording shots on nine heads, with a "4" shot and two "3" shots. Ellis scored on eight heads.

### Mair And McLeod Just Win

W. Mair and W. McLeod (Police) defeated R. G. Craig and J. Kempton (Kowloon Docks) by the narrow margin of 20 shots to 18, in 22 heads in the Open Pair Lawn Bowls Championships, on the Kowloon Cricket Club green yesterday. The game was close all through, scores being even on the 13th, 18th and 21st heads.

### K.B.C.C. RINK FOR SATURDAY

The following will represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the second division of the Lawn Bowls League against the H.K. Football Club in Kowloon on Saturday: H. F. Stoneham, C. B. Hoaking, W. E. Hale and H. H. Rose (skip). G. J. Chambers, G. L. Farmer, M. J. Henderson and J. G. Meyer (skip). J. Macdonald, E. V. Searle, J. G. Carlton and G. E. F. Thompson (skip).



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# AUSTRALIA WIN TEST CRICKET BY 238 RUNS

## WOODFULL'S TIMELY DECLARATION O'REILLY REVELS ON A WEARING WICKET

### LEYLAND'S PLUCKY RESISTANCE

With only 10 minutes to spare Australia beat England by 238 runs in the first cricket Test match at Trent Bridge yesterday, following Woodfull's declaration half an hour before lunch.

O'Reilly was the hero of the match, securing 7 for 54 on a wicket which was showing signs of wearing. England failed miserably in their effort to secure 380 in four hours 50 minutes.

London, To-day. There were 12,000 spectators present yesterday at Trent Bridge for the fourth and last day of the first Test match. The weather was sunny with the wicket wearing.

Brown (37 not out) and McCabe (74 not out) continued Australia's second innings, and took the overnight score of 159 for 3 wickets to 181, before McCabe was caught in the slips by Hammond off Farnes. He made 88 which included one 6 and 15 boundaries. His innings was a magnificent one, lasting one hour and 40 minutes. 181-4-88.

Darling joined Brown but had only scored 14 runs when he fell a second victim to Hammond off the Essex fast bowler. 219-5-14. Meanwhile, Brown, who was joined by Chipperfield, batted patiently. Chipperfield, however, failed and became the third victim to the Hammond-Farnes combination, being sent back to the pavilion after scoring only 4 runs. 231-6-4.

Ames' Amazing Catch. A highlight of the morning's play came when Leslie Ames took a brilliant catch behind the wickets to dismiss Brown who was at the wicket for 265 minutes, scoring 73. Ames appeared to drop the ball but he kicked it up from his toes and brought off an amazing catch. Brown batted stolidly, never going for the bowling. He hit only 3 boundaries. 244-7-73.

Oldfield had scored 10 runs when O'Reilly skied a ball from Geary, which Verity, fielding at backward point, held. 267-8-18. Grimmett then joined Oldfield and after 6 more runs had been added, Woodfull declared the innings closed at 12.30 p.m. The score then stood at 273 for 8 wickets.

Careful Battering. Faced with the task of scoring 380 runs for victory in four hours 50 minutes, Walters and Sutcliffe batted very cautiously. When lunch was taken England had scored 27 without loss, Walters scoring 17 and Sutcliffe 10.

With the score at 51, Sutcliffe was caught low down at first slip by Chipperfield, the ball from O'Reilly, spinning off his bat. 51-2-24.

Hammond then joined the England skipper and after adding 32 runs was smartly stumped by Oldfield off Grimmett. 83-2-10.

The Nawab of Pataudi next came in, but with the score at 91 Walters was bowled neck and crop by an off break from O'Reilly. Walters' effort was a gallant one and during his stay at the crease he scored 46, which included seven 4's. 91-3-46.

Hendren joined the Nawab. The latter, however, soon picked out Grimmett's wrong ball to hit and sent a skidder which Ponsford held at deep mid-off. 103-4-10.

Maurice Leyland joined Hendren and at 110 the hero of England's stand in the first innings was caught by Chipperfield, who took a very low catch off O'Reilly's faster delivery. 110-5-8.

The score at the tea interval was 115 for five, Leyland having 6 to his credit with 4 extras.

Leyland's Stand. Leyland was playing magnificently, stone-walling, fighting for time.

Ames, who joined him after tea, did not stay long. He was taken by O'Reilly playing an off spinner. He only scored 12, but was at the wicket for 70 minutes. 134-6-12.

Geary was out for a "duck"

Chipperfield caught him low in the slips off Grimmett. 185-7-0.

Then Leyland was caught by Oldfield, off O'Reilly, after having put up a splendid resistance for two solid hours, in which he scored 18. 137-8-18.

The heart seemed to go out of the England side, for the next wickets came down in rapid order. Time was growing short, too, which made it exasperating. Farnes went out for a "duck," having followed Verity to the crease when Leyland was caught. 137-9-0.

Mitchell joined Verity. It was the last hope. There was not more than half an hour's play. The batsmen were careful. Mitchell scored very slowly, while Verity did not score at all.

O'Reilly's, however, finished off the match, when he took Mitchell's wicket with a leg spinner to give Australia victory by 238 runs with only 10 minutes to spare.—Reuter.



Scores:

AUSTRALIA—1st Innings.		
W. M. Woodfull, c Verity, b Farnes	26	
W. H. Ponsford, c Ames, b Farnes	53	
W. A. Brown, lb.w., c Geary	22	
D. G. Bradman, c Hammond, b Geary	29	
S. J. McCabe, c Heyland, b Farnes	65	
L. S. Darling, b Verity	9	
A. Chipperfield, c Ames, b Farnes	99	
W. A. Oldfield, c Hammond, b Mitchell	20	
C. V. Grimmett, b Geary	39	
W. J. O'Reilly, b Farnes	7	
T. W. Wall, not out	0	
Extras	10	
<b>Total</b>	<b>374</b>	

Fall of Wickets: 1 (Ponsford) for 77; 2 (Woodfull) for 88; 3 (Bradman) for 125; 4 (Brown) for 146; 5 (Darling) for 153; 6 (McCabe) for 234; 7 (Oldfield) for 281; 8 (Chipperfield) for 355; 9 (Grimmett) for 374; 10 (O'Reilly) for 374.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Farnes	40.2	10	102	5
Geary	43	8	101	3
Hammond	13	4	29	0
Verity	34	9	65	1
Mitchell	21	4	62	1
Leyland	1	0	5	0

ENGLAND—1st Innings.

Sutcliffe, c Chipperfield, b Grimmett	62
C. F. Walters, lb.w., b Grimmett	17
Hammond, c McCabe, b O'Reilly	25
Nawab of Pataudi, c McCabe, b Wall	12
Leyland, c and b Grimmett	79
Hendren, b O'Reilly	53
Geary, st. Oldfield, b Grimmett	7
Ames, c Wall, b O'Reilly	0
Verity, b O'Reilly	1
K. Farnes, b Grimmett	1
Mitchell, not out	1
Extras	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>258</b>

Fall of wickets:—1 (Walters) for 45; 2 (Sutcliffe) for 102; 3 (Hammond) for 106; 4 (Leyland) for 114; 5 (Pataudi) for 146; 6 (Ames) for 166; 7 (Hendren) for 206; 8 (Geary) for 208; 9 (Verity) for 206; 10 (Farnes) for 208.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wall	35	7	82	1
McCabe	7	2	7	0
Grimmett	35.3	24	81	5
O'Reilly	37	16	75	4
Chipperfield	3	0	19	0

AUSTRALIA—2nd Innings.

W. M. Woodfull, b Farnes	25
W. H. Ponsford, b Hammond	5
W. A. Brown, not out	0
D. G. Bradman, c Ames, b Farnes	25
S. J. McCabe, c Hammond, b Farnes	88
L. S. Darling, c Hammond, b Hammond	14
A. Chipperfield, c Hammond, b Farnes	10
W. A. Oldfield, not out	18
W. J. O'Reilly, c Verity, b Geary	3
C. V. Grimmett, not out	31
Extras	8
<b>Total (for 8 wks. dec.)</b>	<b>273</b>

T. W. Wall did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1 (Woodfull) for 2; 2 (Ponsford) for 3; 3 (Bradman) for 69; 4 (McCabe) for 181; 5 (Darling) for 219; 6 (Chipperfield) for 221; 7 (Brown) for 244; 8 (O'Reilly) for 267.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Farnes	25	3	77	5
Geary	23	5	46	1
Hammond	12	5	25	1
Verity	17	8	48	1
Mitchell	13	2	46	0

ENGLAND—2nd Innings.

C. F. Walters, b O'Reilly	42
Sutcliffe, c Chipperfield, b O'Reilly	24
Hammond, st. Oldfield, b Grimmett	18

## China Mail Sports Diary.

### TO-DAY

Lawn Bowls.—Rinks Championship.—R. F. Luz, B. W. Bradbury, H. Beer and U. M. Omar v. J. E. Sloan, S. Dean, G. T. Padgett and A. F. Paul (Civil Service green, 4.30 p.m.)

Open Pairs.—J. E. Neronha and B. Basto v. W. Stoker and W. H. B. Muskett (Hong Kong F.C. green).

T. Armstrong and C. Strange v. C. H. Basto and J. J. Basto (Kowloon Docks green).

A. R. Clark and G. C. Moss v. L. R. Whant and L. Luck (Kowloon C.C. green).

A. A. Razaek and W. V. Field v. C. E. Elliot-Reynold and A. E. Silkstone (Civil Service green).

F. X. M. Silva and C. G. Silva v. A. W. Grimmett and F. J. Jones (Craigengower green).

N. M. Currie and J. F. Lunny v. R. Hall and R. Duncan (Police R.C. green).

G. Ross and J. G. Meyer v. A. E. Carey and W. Glendenning (Recreo green), 5 p.m.

## AMERICA'S CUP DEFENDER

### Cable Engine Stops At Launching

#### 35 MINUTES LULL

Bristol, Rhode Island, May 15. A yacht of gleaming whiteness and burnished bronze was named "Rainbow" here to-day. She then slid down the ways as the chief hope of the New York Yacht Club to defend the America's Cup in the fifteenth contest.

Mrs. Harold S. Vanderbilt, wife of the organiser of the syndicate which built the boat, broke a ribbon-bedecked bottle of champagne over the bows of the vessel and said: "Christen thee Rainbow and wish thee success." The hull, comprising \$40,000-worth of lead, bronze, steel, Michigan pine and labour, moved slowly into a murk of drizzle and fog and then stopped like a hesitant maiden dipping one toe into the water.

300 Guests Marooned. The engine letting out the cable to the cradle supporting the Rainbow had developed trouble and stopped. The 300 invited guests marooned in the gloom of the Herreshoff shipyard shed, speculated whether this delay was part of the programme, while Mr. Vanderbilt paced the shed restlessly.

In thirty-five minutes the engine began to run again. The Rainbow, leaving the ways down which every defender of the Cup since 1903 had slid, rested easily in the water, riding high because her mast, rigging and some of her fittings were still to be installed.

Mr. Vanderbilt stated that her duralumin mast, 165ft. in height, and the finest in construction that science could devise, would be stepped and the rigging be buckled home at once. He hoped to be at her helm to-morrow, weather permitting, for her first spin under sail.

### HULL SCENES SEQUEL

The Football Association has ordered the Hull City F.C. ground to be closed during the first two weeks of season 1934-1935, dating from August 25.

This is a sequel to the behaviour of the spectators during and after the match with Preston North End on April 21.

4 Nawab of Pataudi, c Ponsford, b Grimmett
 10 || Hendren, c Chipperfield, b O'Reilly | 3 |
Leyland, c Oldfield, b O'Reilly	18
Ames, b O'Reilly	12
Geary, c Chipperfield, b Grimmett	6
Verity, not out	0
K. Farnes, c Oldfield, b O'Reilly	0
Mitchell, b O'Reilly	4
Extras	8
**Total**	**141**

Fall of wickets:—1 (Sutcliffe) for 51; 2 (Hammond) for 83; 3 (Walters) for 91; 4 (Nawab of Pataudi) for 103; 5 (Hendren) for 110; 6 (Ames) for 134; 7 (Geary) for 135; 8 (Leyland) for 187; 9 (Farnes) for 187; 10 (Mitchell) for 141.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wall	13	2	27	0
McCabe	2	0	7	0
Grimmett	47	28	39	8
O'Reilly	41.4	24	54	7
Chipperfield	4	1	6	0

## INDIA'S TEST CRICKET CLAIMS

### EFFORT TO SECURE SAME FOOTING AS AUSTRALIA

#### INVITATION TO S. AFRICA

Bombay, May 20.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT EFFORTS WILL BE MADE AT THE FORTHCOMING IMPERIAL CRICKET CONFERENCE TO PUT INDIA ON THE SAME FOOTING AS AUSTRALIA WITH REGARD TO TEST MATCHES.

It is widely felt that the time has arrived when India can claim that recognition and the two representatives on behalf of India at the Conference will do their utmost to arrange regular four year fixtures with England instead of having to ask for a fixture and to depend upon luck.

## NOTTS TAKE POINTS FROM SUSSEX

### Surrey Inconsistency Continues.

#### WINLAW AGAIN IN FORM

London, To-day.

Sussex, most serious southern challengers for the County Cricket Championship, received a setback yesterday at Horsham when Notts topped their first innings total by 19 runs as the result of a century by Harris, one of the most promising young all-rounders in England.

Surrey again gave evidence of their inconsistency when they lost to Essex at the Oval, after having secured a lead of 21 runs on the first innings. Jack O'Connor recorded his fourth century of the season in this match.

R. de W. K. Winlaw, the Light Blues' Hon. Secretary, followed up his 161 not out against Essex by scoring 103 against the Free Foresters, for whom D. R. Wilcox, last year's Cambridge skipper, scored 119.

E. T. Killick, favoured by many for the position of Sutcliffe's partner in the England eleven, reached three figures, while B. H. Valentine scored 102 while Kent were being beaten by Warwickshire.

Results as cabled by Reuter were:

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP  
At the Oval, Essex beat Surrey by 38 runs.  
Essex: 265 (O'Connor 143) and 233.  
Surrey: 286 and 227.

At Horsham, Notts took first innings points from Sussex.  
Sussex: 312 (J. Parks 104).  
Notts: 286 for 4 wickets.  
Notts: 331 (Harris 107).

FRIENDLY  
At Oxford, Leicester drew with Oxford University.  
Leicester: 409 (Armstrong 140).  
Oxford: 435.  
At Cambridge, the Free Foresters drew with Cambridge University.

Cambridge: 411 (B. O. Allen 113).  
331 for 5 dec. (R. de K. Winlaw 103).

Free Foresters: 311 (D. R. Wilcox 119).  
373 for 5 (E. T. Killick 173, B. H. Valentine 102).

At Lord's, Middlesex beat Yorkshire by 2 wickets.  
Yorkshire: 174 (L. A. R. Peables 5 for 68).  
Middlesex: 344 (Hulme 116).  
51 for 8 (Bowes 6 for 17).

At Portsmouth, Hampshire beat Derbyshire by an innings and 82 runs.  
Hants: 481 (Arnold 144, Mead 138).  
Derby: 108 and 291 (Alderman 124).

### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	W	1st Inns.	No	Pts.	Pts.
						Result	Poss.	Obt.
Sussex (2)	10	6	0	2	2	0	150	106
Kent (3)	8	4	1	2	1	0	120	73
Essex (4)	9	3	1	1	4	0	135	62
Yorkshire (1)	8	3	1	1	1	2	120	61
Middlesex (12)	9	3	3	2	1	0	135	58
Surrey (9)	8	3	3	1	1	0	120	53
Leicester (17)	7	3	2	0	2	0	105	51
Lancashire (5)	8	2	1	3	2	0	120	51
Lancashire (14)	8	2	2	4	0	0	120	50
Hampshire (16)	10	2	3	1	3	1	150	48
Derby (6)	8	3	4	0	1	0	120	48
Warwick (7)	8	2	2	2	1	1	120	47
Notts (8)	7	2	2	3	0	0	105	45
Somerset (11)	8	2	3	0	3	0	120	39
Gloucester (10)	9	2	6	0	1	0	135	33
Gloucester (15)	6	1	1	2	2	0	90	31
Northants (13)	9	0	8	1	0	0	135	5

The representatives will further try to arrange for an Indian side to tour England in the summer of 1936, and it is expected that the tour will be arranged without any difficulty.

With a view to providing an opportunity for Indian players to gain more experience the representatives will also try to obtain sanction for a South African team to visit India next year.

The South African unofficial side will represent the suburban cricket associations of the Dominion and will be constituted entirely of a coloured eleven.



The South African team has already expressed its willingness to do so and games will be played all over India, which will include also Test matches.

The number of Test matches to be played has not yet been decided but the moment the sanction of the Imperial Conference has been obtained, formal invitations will be sent out and the tour program will be drawn up.

NO DISCUSSION OF "BODY-LINE"  
The representatives on behalf of India at the Imperial Conference will not enter into any controversy about "body line" bowling but will generally abide by the decision of the M.C.C. on this question.

## DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN JOCKEY.

### George Hulme Winner Of Ascot Gold Cup.

Jockey George Hulme, aged 35, has died of internal trouble in Budapest.

Hulme was at one time the first jockey of the Aga Khan. He rode the winner of the Two Thousand Guineas in 1924, the Lincolnshire and Ascot Gold Cup in 1919 and the Gold Cup in 1920.—Reuter.

### \$4,150 FROM CUP-TIES

At a meeting of the executive committee of League III. (South), London recently, it was announced that \$4,150 was received from the newly formed cup competition, and an agreed sum was allotted for distribution among all the clubs in the section.

At Bath, Gloucester beat Somerset by 10 wickets.  
Gloucester: 407 (Barnett 194).  
32 for no wicket.

Somerset: 213 (Parker 7 for 64).  
225 (Simsfield 5 for 70, Goddard 5 for 75).

At Pontypridd, Glamorgan beat Northants by 8 wickets.



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J. B. BROS., Esq.  
Manager.  
Hong Kong, 12th June, 1934.



## LOCAL SHARES.

## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.  
H.K. Bank, \$1845 b., \$1850/55 sa.  
H.K. Bank (London), £130 n.  
Chartered Bank, \$164 n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$28 n.  
Mercantile Bank C., \$15 n.  
Bank of East Asia, \$91 sa.  
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$4 n.  
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.  
Canton Ins., \$300 b.  
Union Ins., \$76 n.  
China Underwriters, \$14 n.  
China Fire Ins., \$610 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.  
International Asso., \$6 n.

Shipping.  
Douglas, \$404 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.  
Indo-China (Pref.), \$30 n.  
Indo-China (Def.), \$33 n.  
Shell (Bearer), \$1/3 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$11.10 b.

Mining.  
Antamoks, 65 cts. b., 67 cts. sa.  
Balatoca, \$33 1/2 n.  
Baguio Gold, 33 cts. b.  
Benguet, \$24 n.  
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.  
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.  
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.  
Gold Creek, \$3 1/2 n.  
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.  
Itogons, \$7 n.  
Kailan, 20/- n.  
Langkats (Single) Sh. \$18 1/2 n.  
Shai Exploration, Sh. \$4.80 n.  
Shai Loans, \$5 1/2 n.  
Rauba, \$13.90 sa.  
Venx: Goldfield, \$7 n.  
Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, 108 b., 110 sa.  
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.  
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.  
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$1.85 n.  
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.  
Hongkwa, (old) Sh. \$305 n.  
Hongkwa, (new) Sh. \$300 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$133 n.

Cotton Mills.  
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$10.90 b.  
Shai Cottons (old), Sh. \$72 n.  
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$42 n.  
Zong Sing, Sh. \$13 1/2 n.  
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$54 n.  
Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, 6.05 b., 6.15 sa., 6.05 sa.  
H.K. Lands, 59 1/2 b., 59 1/2 sa.  
Shai Lands, Sh. \$25 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.  
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.  
H.K. Realities, \$5.40 n.  
Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.  
Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.  
China Realities, Sh. \$15 1/2 n.  
China Debenture, Sh. \$187 n.

Public Utilities.  
H.K. Tramways, 2 1/4 b.  
Peak Trams (old), Ex. div. \$15 n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.  
Star Ferries, \$101 n.  
Yau-mat Ferries, \$22 1/2 n.  
C. Lights (old) \$8.80 b., \$8.80 sa.  
C. Lights (new), \$8.80 b.  
H.K. Electric, \$72 1/2 b., \$72 1/2 sa., 72 1/2 sa.  
Macao Electric, \$25 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.  
Telephone (old), \$24.70 b.  
Telephone (old) \$24.70.  
Telephones (new), \$12 1/2 n.  
China Buses Sh. \$13.20 n.  
Singapore Trams, 5/- n.  
Singapore Pref., 16 1/2 n.

Industrials.  
Malabon Sugars, \$12 n.  
Cald: Macg. (ord), Sh. \$21 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$19 1/4 n.  
Canton Ice, \$2.70 n.  
Cements, 2.75 b., 2.85 sa., 2.70 sa.  
H.K. Ropes, \$4.65 sa.

Stores, etc.  
Dairy Farms, 26 1/2 n.  
Watsons, \$64 n.  
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.  
Lane, Crawfords, \$4.65 sa.  
Mackintosh, \$21 n.  
Sipcoras, \$8.30 b.  
Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.  
Wing On (H.K.) \$102 n.

Miscellaneous.  
H.K. Amusements, \$4 n.  
Entertainments, \$7 1/2 n.  
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 1/2 n.  
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.  
Macao "Greyhound", \$2 n.  
Constructions (old) \$1.70 b.  
Constructions (new), 65 cts. b.  
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G & B Bonds, 87 1/2 n.  
H.K. Govt. Loans, \$8 1/2 n. prem. b.  
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.  
Gold River, 28 n.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## S. E. Levy and Co. And A.O.F.C. Quotations.

The following quotations from New York have been received by Messrs. S. E. Levy and Co., and the American Oriental Finance Corporation.

June 13.  
Last Opening Noon  
Close

N. Y.—  
London 505 1/4 505 1/4 505 1/4  
COTTON:—  
Oct. .... 1222 1217 1226  
Dec. .... 1233 1230 1236  
SILVER:—  
Sept. .... 4555 4550b 4555  
Dec. .... 4583 unq. 4574  
RUBBER:—  
Sept. .... 1365 1364/65s 1408  
Dec. .... 1399 1394/95s 1443  
WHEAT:—  
Sept. .... 98 1/2 99 1/2 100  
Dec. .... 101 1/2 100 1/2 101 1/2  
CORN:—  
Sept. .... 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2  
Dec. .... 59 1/2 59 1/2 59 1/2  
STOCKS:—  
Amer. Smelt. 41 1/4 unq. 42 1/4  
Auburn 30 30 31 1/4  
Case 54 1/2 unq. 55  
Du Pont 88 1/2 88 1/2 89 1/2  
Elec. Bond 15 1/2 unq. 16  
Int. Tel. & Tel. 13 1/2 13 1/2 14  
McIntyre 48 1/2 unq. 48 1/2  
Ford 28 28 29 1/2  
Nat. Dis. till 26 1/2 unq. 26 1/2  
N. Y. Central 29 1/2 30 31  
Socoy Vacuum 16 1/2 unq. 16 1/2  
U.S. Aircraft 21 1/2 unq. 21 1/2  
U.S. Steel 41 1/2 unq. 42 1/2  
Westinghouse 37 37 38 1/2  
General Motors 32 1/2 32 1/2 33 1/2  
London Quotations  
The following quotations have been received from London.  
Last Price

SILVER:—  
Spot 19-11/16.  
Forward 19-3/4.  
GOLD:—  
Spot 137 1/4.  
London/New York (2 p.m.) 5.05-7/8  
WHEAT:—  
July (1 o'clock) 4/9-1/4.  
COTTON:—  
July (1 o'clock) 6.41.  
RUBBER:—  
July (Opening) 6-1/2 buyers, 6-11/16 sellers.  
Last Record.

SILVER:—  
Spot 19-5/8 America bought.  
Forward 19-11/16 China sold.  
Business small.  
GOLD:—  
Spot 137 1/4.  
London/New York (2 p.m.) 5.05-7/8  
WHEAT:—  
July (1 o'clock) 4/8-3/8.  
COTTON:—  
July (1 o'clock) 6.31.  
RUBBER:—  
July (Opening) 6-1/2 buyers, 6-5/8 sellers.

Latest Quotations.  
Messrs. Carroll Bros. have just received the following cabled quotations of Shanghai rubber shares.

Anglo Java 8.75  
Anglo Dutch 6.75  
Chemors 6.4  
Consolidated 3.45  
Java Consolidated 1.65  
Kroewoeks 5.4  
Tanah Morahs 1.80  
Tebongs 5.55  
Zhangbes 8.25

Latest Quotations  
New York, June 13.  
The following quotations have been received by Messrs. S. E. Levy and Co., and the A.O.F.C.

June 12.  
New York Cotton: Closing  
July ..... 11.98/99  
October ..... 12.21/22  
December ..... 12.33/33  
January ..... 12.39/39  
March ..... 12.50/50  
May (1935) ..... 12.59/59  
Spot ..... 12.15  
New York Silver:  
July ..... 45.33/35  
September ..... 45.61/55  
October ..... 45.61/61  
December ..... 45.83/83  
January ..... 45.95/95  
March ..... 46.19/19  
Total sales—47 contracts  
New York Rubber:  
July ..... 13.36/36  
September ..... 13.64/65  
October ..... 13.72/72  
December ..... 13.98/99  
January ..... 14.15/15  
March ..... 14.30/32  
Total sales—374 contracts  
New York Silk:  
July ..... 1.21/21 1/2  
September ..... 1.22 1/2/1.23  
October ..... 1.22/23  
December ..... 1.22 1/2/23  
Winnipeg Wheat:  
July ..... 78 1/2  
October ..... 80 1/2  
December ..... 81 1/2  
Chicago Wheat:  
July ..... 98 1/2/98 1/2  
September ..... 99 1/2/99 1/2  
December ..... 101 1/2/101 1/2  
New York Sugar:  
July ..... 1.56  
September ..... 1.63  
December ..... 1.72  
Chicago Corn:  
July ..... 55 1/2/55 1/2  
September ..... 57 1/2/57 1/2  
December ..... 59 1/2/59 1/2

## LOCAL DOLLAR DECLINES.

## Silver Prices Fall.

The local dollar declined 3/4, closing on demand to-day at 1/4 1/4. Silver prices declined 1/16, closing yesterday at spot, 19 1/2 and forward, 19 11/16.

The London on New York cross-rate, which closed on Monday at \$-U.S.\$5.05 1/2, closed yesterday at \$-U.S.\$5.05 1/2, while the New York on London rate, which closed at \$-U.S.\$5.06 1/2 on Monday, closed at \$-U.S.\$5.05 1/2 yesterday.

## EXCHANGES.

## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

On London—  
T. T. .... 1/4 1/4  
On demand ..... 1/4 1/4  
Four months' sight 1/5  
Credits 4 months' sight ..... 1/5 1/4  
On New York—  
On demand ..... 35 1/2  
Credits 60 days' sight ..... 37 1/2  
On Paris—  
On demand ..... 537 1/2  
Credits 4 months' sight ..... 577 1/2  
On India—  
On T.T. and demand 93 1/2  
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Sovereigns bank buying rate ..... 1/5 1/2  
Bar Silver per oz. .... 19 1/2  
Bar Silver in Hong Kong ..... nom.  
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Copper Cents ..... 1% prem.  
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**VARSITY GRADUATES IN ENGLAND****Engineering Students Praised.****ENGLAND WANTS MORE.**

Excellent reports regarding the engineering graduate apprentices of the Hong Kong University already in England, have been received from British industrialists, according to Sir William Hornell, C.I.E., in his annual report, who states that requests have been made for more graduates than the University can supply.

The report states that they have not only worked well, but they have adjusted themselves easily and spontaneously to the conditions which obtain in English factories and English industrial towns. They are happy and popular.

British industrialists want graduates who have specialised in mechanical or electrical engineering, not those who have taken the civil engineering course.

**VARSITY FINANCES DECREASE****Record Enrolment In March 1934.****SPECIAL GOVERNMENT GRANT DISCONTINUED**

Although the student enrolment of the Hong Kong University increased steadily in 1933, the income of the institution decreased from \$1,080,180 in 1932 to \$966,055 last year. This is disclosed in the annual report of the University issued yesterday.

Enrolment of students at the increased from 333 in 1932 and 366 in 1933 to the record figure of 428 at March 13, 1934.

In spite of this, income has decreased from \$1,080,180 in 1932 to \$966,055 last year, the outstanding feature of the financial condition being the declining yield in the University's investments.

The Government grant of \$350,000 was repeated both during 1932 and during 1933, but the special grant of \$25,000 towards the maintenance of the School of Chinese Studies has been discontinued.

In 1933 the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce withdrew its annual grant of \$10,000. The grant of \$1,000 which the Chinese Chamber of Commerce has made for some years was not paid during 1933 but the Committee of the Chamber is now negotiating with the University for the conversion of what was a general grant into a special fund for a scholarship or scholarships.

The Asiatic Petroleum Co. (South China) Ltd. still continue their contribution of free fuel oil to the University Workshop and the Power House.

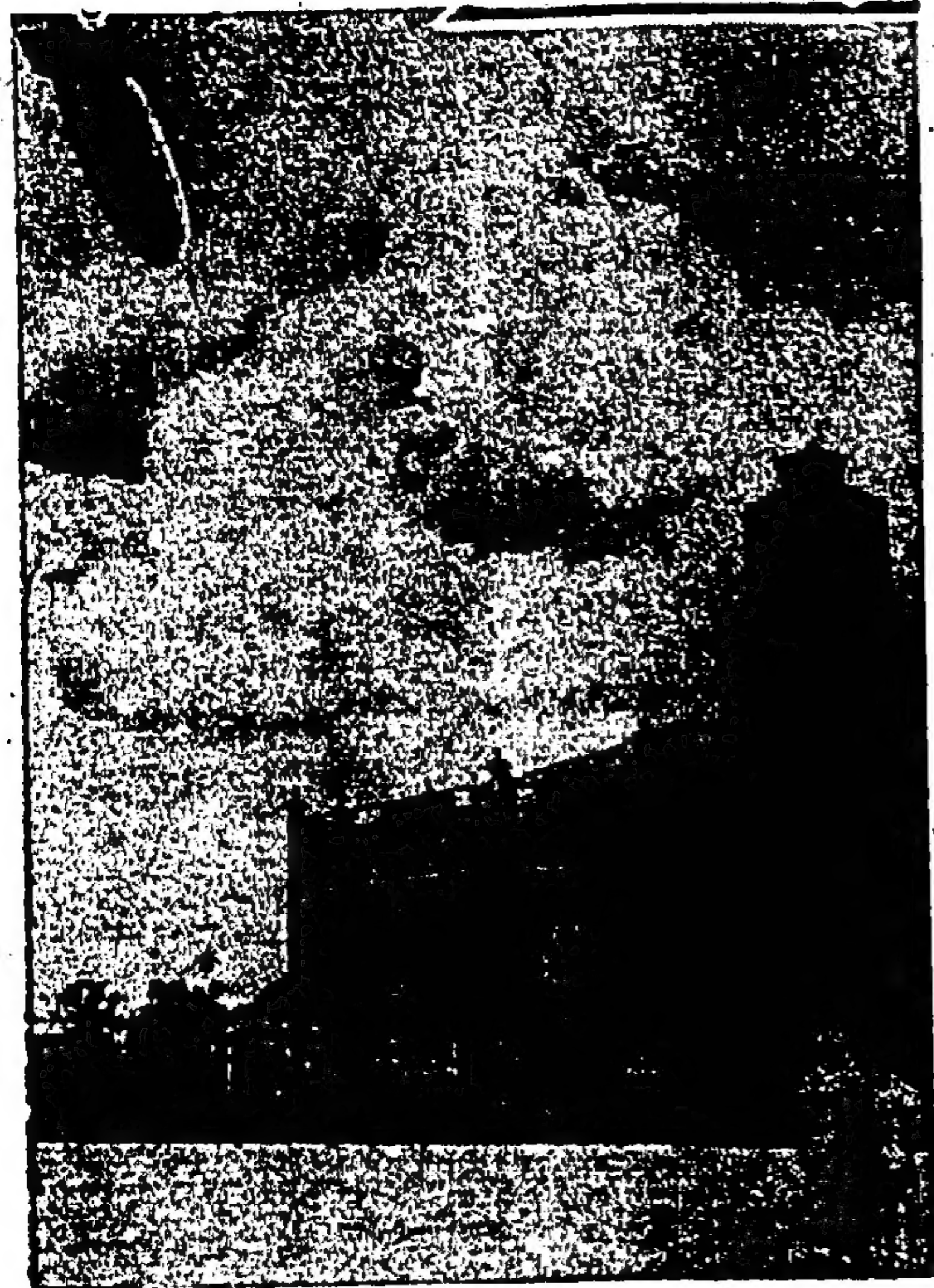
**GRUESOME HARBOUR DISCOVERY.****Woman's Body With Severe Cuts.****SUSPECTED MURDER DISCOUNTED.**

Murder was suspected by the police when the discovered of a Chinese woman, about 20 years of age, floating in the harbour near the Mongkok ferry wharf, was made by an Indian constable yesterday evening. There was a severe cut on the left arm with slashes on other parts of the body.

A later report, however, stated it was possible the wounds were sustained by the body coming into contact with the propeller of some vessel in the harbour.

**BISHOP R. O. HALL ENTERTAINED.****Kowloon Tong Church "At Home."**

The parishioners of the Kowloon Tong Anglican Church were "At Home" to the Right Rev. Ronald Hall, Bishop of Hong Kong, and Mrs. Hall, on Monday afternoon, at No. 3, Duke Street, Kowloon Tong. The Rev. N. V. Halvard, the priest in charge, met the Bishop and others present were Mrs. de Martin, the Rev. N. L. and Mrs. Nash, Mr. C. B. Sargent, and Miss Ruby Mow Fung.



Like a huge stogie, the U.S.S. Macon, the Navy's "Queen of the Sky," hovers over Havana, Cuba, on her recent flight there to join the American fleet in the Caribbean war games. On the Macon's performance in current manoeuvres will depend the future of America's airship policy.

**WITTY TALK AT ROTARY TIFFIN****The Nature of Laughter By Prof. L. Forster.****CLUB THANKED FOR OUTING**

Professor L. Forster, of the Hong Kong University, in a witty talk at the Rotary Club tiffin yesterday on "The Nature of Laughter" referred to the important part played by the comic strips and humour columns in the present day newspapers.

Rotarian T. B. Wilson presided and welcomed the following guests: Rotarian F. L. Morris, Woodlands, Californian. Rotarian S. H. Peek, Shanghai. Messrs. E. F. Soprani, R. D. Arnold, Yunnanfu, G. C. Pelham, A. S. Mitchell, W. O'Neill and A. Brankston.

An invitation to members of the Club to attend the dinner dance which the Canton Rotary Club is holding on Saturday next, on the occasion of the anniversary of the Club's Charter Day, was read.

A letter was received from the Salvation Army thanking the club on behalf of the children under their care for the outing organised for them last week. It was mentioned by the Chairman that Sir William Hornell had offered the use of his marshes at Stanley for future outings arranged by the Club for orphans.

**STONECUTTERS TRAGEDY.****South Wales Borderers' Private Drowned.****PRIVATE MORRIS OF "C" COMPANY**

Private Morris of the "C" Company, South Wales Borderers, lost his life in a bathing tragedy at Stonecutters Island yesterday.

Morris was with a party of about two hundred men from the Borderers who took part in a launch picnic to Stonecutters.

The mishap occurred at about 4.30 p.m. Morris was seen in difficulties in deep water. His comrades went to his assistance but he sank. Having brought him ashore, artificial respiration was attempted for several hours, but failed to revive him.

The body was later removed to the military mortuary.

**ASLEEP ON DUTY.****Lincolns Private Found Guilty.**

Private Norman Smith, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, pleaded not guilty before a District Court Magistrate at Shamshuipo yesterday, on a charge of being found asleep while on duty as a sentry of the New Magazine Guard on June 1. The Court comprised Major Impey (Lincoln), Capt. A. E. Bates (Punjab) and Lieut. Robinson (East Lancs). Lieut. F. W. Young (Lincoln) prosecuted and Lieut.

**LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES**

One case of small-pox, one case of relapsing fever, one case of meningitis and one case of puerperal fever were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ending June 11.

Yau Siu-ming, a coolie, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, suffering from head injuries when he fell off lorry No. 1755 in Kai Tak Road, Kowloon City.

Ho Chung, a 31-year-old Chinese woman, of 29 Fook Wah Lane, died at the Government Civil Hospital early this morning from lypol poisoning said to have been self-administered.

For stealing a radiator-cap from taxi No. 595, Lau Hung, a 29-year-old unemployed Chinese, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Cheng Yuk, 61-year-old widow, was sentenced to six months' hard labour for returning from banishment without an authorised permit by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. She was banished in 1933 for 10 years.

A fine of \$15 was imposed on Wu Lam, a stall foki, by Mr. Q. A. A. MacFadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for cruelty to 360 pigeons. It was stated that accused carried them in four crates in a crowded condition.

Ho Sing, of No. 7 Tung Hoi Street, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital at 12.45 o'clock this morning, suffering from the effects of immersion, when his sampan, in which he was hawking, was rammed by the s.s. King Shan.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited): Captain Oscar Lundberg s.s. Empress of Japan (Shanghai), Mitsuyama (Nagoya), Delidan (Tokio), Kunyuen (Kobe), and Daniels c/o Kremoffice (Tokio).

One case of small-pox, three cases of typhoid fever, two cases of meningitis and two cases of human rabies were reported in the Colony during the week ending June 9. During the same period one person died from small-pox and two from typhoid fever. Sixty-two persons were also reported to have died from tuberculosis.

**RADIO CONTACT WITH ARCTIC**

An aeroplane loaded with radio equipment, medicines, and food supplies, has made the flight from Providence Bay to Wrangel Island in the Arctic. Radio communication between the island and mainland, which ceased for two years, has now been restored.

Bransbury (Lincoln) defended. Accused was found guilty, and sentence will be promulgated in due course.

Art and Drama

**ARCHITECT'S ATTACK ON MODERN ART****Functionalism Theory Condemned.****"DISASTROUS FALLACY"**

London. A violent onslaught on certain phases of modern art was delivered in London recently by Sir Reginald Blomfield, R.A., the eminent architect, in an address to the English Speaking Union.

There was yet some hope in our architecture, he said, though our young men were trying to run before they could walk.

He could find no saving clause in the procedure of "modernism" painters, sculptors, writers and musicians.

Sir Reginald found throughout the same anxiety to startle at all costs. He proceeded:

"This might be comparatively harmless, but there is another phase of some modernist sculpture which is not."

"And that is the slant to the hideous and unclean, to matters which by tacit consent of civilised people have hitherto been left in abeyance."

"The modernist sails as near the wind as the police will allow him, and, as the police do not visit modern galleries, this gives him a fairly open field."

"Disastrous Fallacy" "Functionalism" and "sur-realism," Sir Reginald declared, constituted "a revolutionary wave from the Continent which, if not diverted into reasonable channels, will either end in the bankruptcy of the arts or the mad-house."

Referring to the Functionalism theory that "beauty and efficiency are convertible terms," Sir Reginald said:

Speaking as an artist, I cannot imagine a more disastrous fallacy than this artist, I cannot imagine a more muddle-headed thinking. It cuts at the root of Art, and confuses the intellect with emotion.

"If the satisfaction inspired by efficiency is the same in kind as the emotion we may feel in the Sistine Chapel it will be necessary to reconstitute the whole psychology of man, and apparently this is what the modernists want us to do."

"They assume that man can turn his soul upside down as easily as he can turn his coat."

"The immense arrogance of their position is something new in the world. Nobody so far has claimed to bring everything to a dead stop and to begin all over again, as if the past had never existed at all."

**ACTORS' ORPHANAGE NEW PRESIDENT****Mr. Noel Coward.**

Mr. Noel Coward has accepted the presidency of the Actors' Orphanage in succession to the late Sir Gerald du Maurier. Mr. Coward has intimated that owing to his present and future commitments he will not be able immediately to devote as much time to the work of the Orphanage as he would wish, but that as soon as his engagements permits he will endeavour to uphold the fine traditions so worthily established by Sir Gerald.

Out of respect to the memory of Sir Gerald, the "Grand Giggle" will be omitted from the list of attractions at the theatrical garden party on behalf of the Orphanage, which is to take place at the Botanical Gardens, Regent's Park, on June 18.

**SHAKESPEARE IN CHICAGO.****For Benefit Of "Grand Rapid Mugs."**

Shakespeare as the author of "tablets" showing 12 times a day at a fair—that is the somewhat disconcerting vision conjured up by an enterprising showman in America.

The idea is to reproduce the original Globe Theatre in the English Village section of the Chicago World's Fair for the benefit of "the mugs from Grand Rapids," as an American grand puts it. "In order to get turnover at the box-office," we read, "Shakespeare's something snappy."

**When NERVES GO WRONG**

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**BRITISH ART FOR BRITISH GOODS****Lord Ebbisham's Plea.**

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Lord Ebbisham said there existed not so long ago a conventional belief that Central European advertising art was the best; in fact, that it was the only advertising art. Lord Ebbisham said: "It used to be said in Bloomsbury that the only really good advertising printing was done in France, and you might sometimes find a French imprint on a booklet circulating in England, selling English-made goods to English people."

"Now look round the exhibition," he added, "and say whether we should not banish our diffidence and proclaim boldly that we lead the world in this particular sphere. British advertising needs British design and British material. In your hands rests the responsibility of seeing that British advertising art shall not merely be a mixture of other countries' techniques, but shall have an essentially national character of its own."

plays will be acted down to 40 minutes' running time. No more soliloquies for Hamlet. Instead of going through the entire to be or not to be recitation, he will say, 'Aw, nuts!' and go into his good impression with some of his out that 'Friends, Romans and countrymen—harrangue—and something snappy."

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But the House was at that time also a favourite resort of ladies of quality, and when the Duchess of Gordon and her entourage came in the captain's friends were dispossessed of their seats. But the ladies, refused to be turned out, and moved down on masses to the floor of the House, which they proceeded to occupy until the close of the debate.

After that for 30 years the House decided to bar women, and the grille in front of the gallery was a permanent reminder of this quaint episode.





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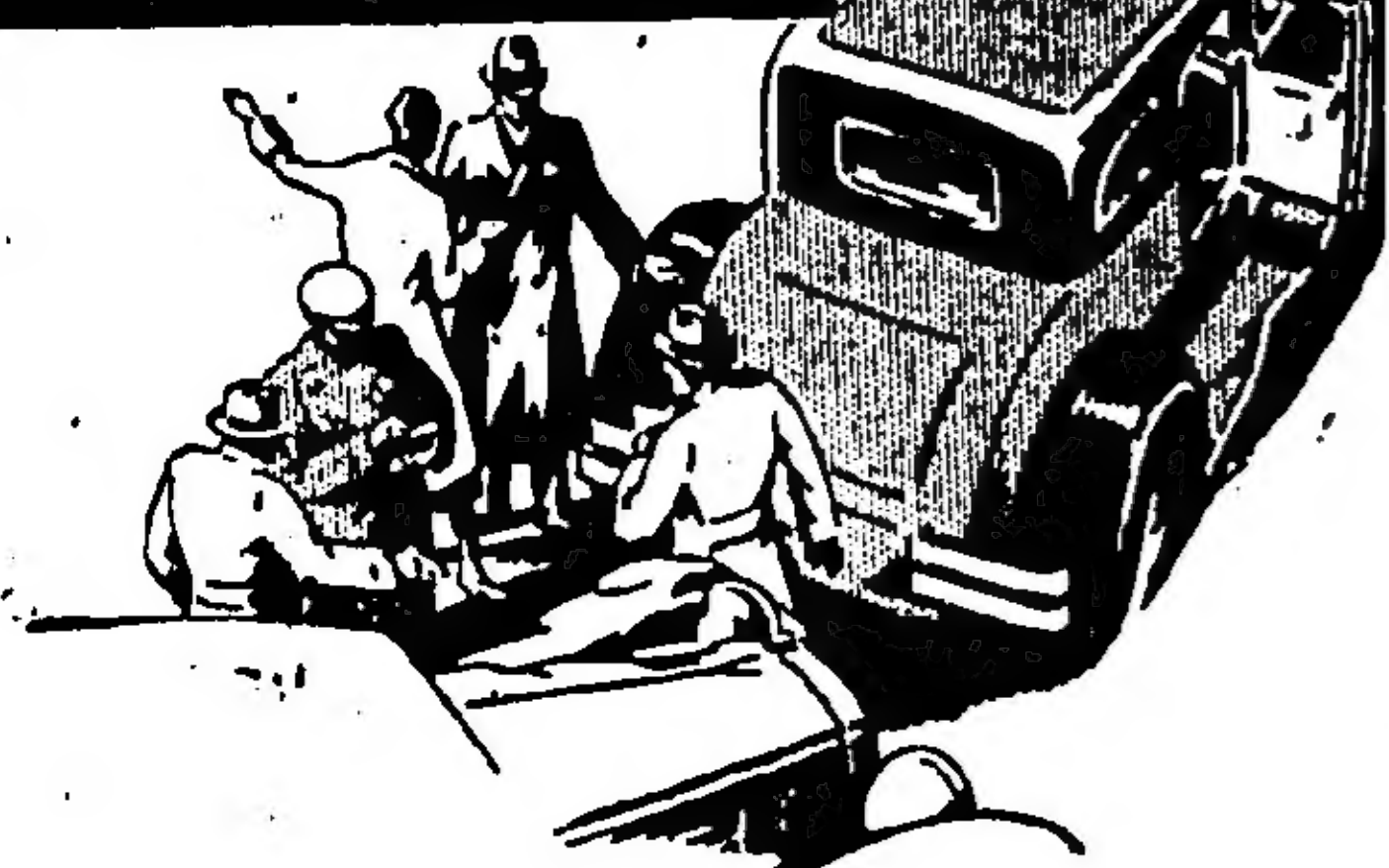
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### The China Mail

Hong Kong, Wednesday, June 13, 1934

### Japanese Competition.

Britain has found her trade in various parts of the world seriously diminished, and, in some cases, almost extinguished, by Japanese competition. Great Britain herself is a better customer of Japan than Japan is of Britain. British textile representatives invited the Japanese to meet them in conference to ascertain whether some arrangement could not be reached about the textile trade, so that the reduced world trade could be allotted on an equitable basis. The British section of the conference wanted a discussion on regional arrangements over practically the whole world. The Japanese representatives considered when they met the British in conference that the arrangement proposed was out of the question, because it involved foreign countries which might upset by quotas or tariffs any arrangement arrived at. In their turn the Japanese suggested that the discussion should be confined to the consideration of an agreement about the British home market and the market of the Crown colonies. Naturally the British representatives asked if this were all, why Japan had come to a conference at all. A nation has means of taking care of its own market. It would be in the foreign markets and in the markets of the Dominions that a contest, if it took place, would be most severe, and would be outside any legislative interference of either Great Britain or Japan. All through, the attitude of Japan has been that of one believing she holds the winning hand. Her representatives have made no secret of the causes of her success of the past two years. She has so organised her industry, and has so cut her costs, that she can put certain goods on the market, especially those textile goods which lend themselves to mass production, at a price that the manufacturers of no other nation can approach. In effect, the Japanese

delegation told the British delegation: "We studied the general world depression and came to certain determinations as to what were its important causes. Then we set to work to bring down the cost of production to meet the impoverished buying power of the world. We mobilised all available human energy and every mechanical device at the expenditure of enormous capital outlay. That is the reason why we have retained our position." They should also have added, "and have improved it." Instead they asked the question: "Have other countries done as we have done?" Before ever the formal conference opened, British textile manufacturers declared that it was impossible to reduce costs sufficiently to meet Japanese competition. Costs might be reduced five or 10 or even 20 per cent. by some scheme of rationalisation, either vertically or horizontally or both. But that would not suffice, nor would, in some lines, 50 per cent. As one British manufacturer put it: "Does any manufacturer wish to reduce the standard of living so that the British working-man would have to exist on water and rice instead of beef and beer?" Britain's defence is limited, as far as one can see, to restriction of Japanese goods entering British markets. This is what the imposition of quotas means. In a contest of this nature Britain is in an advantageous position so far as her home market is concerned. Net imports from Japan into Great Britain last year were of the value of £7,070,000, while Britain's exports to Japan were of the value of £4,510,000. On the figures Japan would suffer more by restriction in the British market than would Britain by restriction in Japan's market. But Japan might consider that she would suffer still more by the voluntary restriction in world markets which the British representatives in conference proposed. In that case she would prefer to risk the loss of the British market in order to maintain her position elsewhere. Japan has another aspect of the problem to consider. What if Great Britain succeeds in drawing other nations in with her? The sudden leap forward of Japanese manufactures of textiles and of pottery and the increase in Japan's export trade in these lines during the past two years, while the trade of her competitors has dwindled, have alarmed the nations concerned, which believe that they cannot compete. Japanese labour can live more cheaply, though it is said to be quite as well nourished as outside industrial nationals and to be content with its lot. It responds to the appeal to patriotism, and will accept conditions of machine tending such as are rejected by British workers.

## HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

### More Trouble For The League

The Hungarian protest at the Council meeting of the League against alleged frontier incidents on the Hungarian-Jugoslav frontier may have serious repercussions.

According to the Hungarians, innocent Hungarian peasants, who have inadvertently strayed across the Yugoslav frontier, have been brutally mistreated by the Yugoslav authorities.

The Yugoslavs maintain that the "innocent Hungarians" are political terrorists, financed and armed by Hungary.

Discussion on the protest was postponed, but it cannot be indefinitely avoided.

### Training Terrorists

For some time the Yugoslavs have been gathering data about the activities of anti-Jugoslav terrorists not only in Hungary but also in Italy. They claim to have definite proof of the existence of terrorist schools, financed with Hungarian and Italian money, at Yankapaustra, in Hungary, and near Bari, in Italy.

At these schools it is alleged that young refugees from Yugoslavia are trained in subversive tactics, and armed with bombs and revolvers.

Then they are employed to smuggle arms and explosives, destined for political assassinations, across the Yugoslav frontier.

### Firm Tone In Frenchmen

Nazi Germany laments the decline in its birth-rate. For the past three years the French birth-rate has actually been higher than the German.

If the present tendency is unchecked French statisticians believe that the populations of France and Germany will be stabilised in something like their present proportions within 10 years.

That is the duration of the German-Polish Pact, which is taken as a sign that Germany is not anxious for any irremediable adventure, at any rate for the moment.

Meanwhile France's colonial reserves grow.

### Your Daily Smile!

A "mechanical nose," said to be far more sensitive than the human one, has been perfected by an American inventor. The only annoying thing about it is that it will persist in superciliously turning itself up whenever it is confronted by an ordinary nose.

### Propheteering

The motor-car salesman who got rid of his stock at knock-down prices.

### The Man for the Job

The spiritualist who was neither too serious nor too gay—just the happy medium.

### Salt Licks

I hear that the Post Office authorities contemplate a change in the recipe of the gum used on the "business" side of a postage stamp, in view of complaints from the public that the variety now in use is too "salty" in flavour says a Star writer.

Sir Kingsley Wood, the Postmaster-General gave a friend of mine another and more cogent reason for the proposed change.

"The salt taste makes people thirsty," he said. "In a drought year this is really not good business. So we must try something else."

My friend, an old political acquaintance, and opponent of the P.M.G.'s, realised that he was having his leg pulled.

### Too Bad

According to a writer, one of the Balkan States has not been free from internal trouble since the war. What a State to get into.

An actress who called on a producer in the hope of getting a part acted a scene from *The Taming of the Shrew* in front of him. We understand that he offered her a contract in order to save the remainder of the office furniture.

A woman novelist is decorating her new home in pink and white. So much for the rumour that it was to have purple passages.

# ANOTHER LOOK AT GALLIPOLI 700 REVISIT SCENE OF BYGONE STRUGGLE

"HOW QUIET IT IS"

(By W. E. Stanton-Hope.)

A party of ex-Service men, representing every British regiment which fought in Gallipoli, and of friends and relatives of those who fell, left England recently in the C.P.R. liner *Duchess of Richmond* to re-visit the battlefields.

They numbered 700 in all. Lt. Stanton Hope, who is the author of *"Richer Dust"* and writes this article, was one of the last officers to leave the Peninsula at the evacuation.

### Constantinople.

HOW quiet it is. The remark is made by an ex-corporal of the famous 29th Division as the *Duchess of Richmond* approaches Gallipoli at dawn. And the same thought must occur to most of the other ex-Service men returning to the Peninsula.

The sky is pink over Asia, and the sea smooth. For our benefit Nature has reproduced similar weather to that at the landing nineteen years ago.

### Debris Of War Days

At Khelia Bay, where the liner anchors, we board the *Denizis*, a ramshackle steamboat whose deck-plates are plastered with concrete, and journey back through the Narrows bordered by Kilid Bahr and Chanak. She creeps towards the ruins of Sedd-el-Bahr fort, and we see clearly the familiar V beach, looking strangely barren without the dug-outs and tents, and the collier, River Clyde, which was run aground there laden with troops.

Much debris of the war days litters V Beach, as at Lancashire Landing, just round the cape. Nearby, below the fort, peasants grow figs and olives.

Unveiled Turkish women sit along the low, sandy ridge where once a few British survivors sheltered from lashing shrapnel and machine-gun fire. They and their menfolk watch silently as we climb the slope to the Helles Memorial to do honour to our dead.

We disperse to find the remains of those bivouacs, trenches, and barricades best known to us. In company with a few others I tread again the old Krithia road, past the cypress grove through which I had last tramped on the night of the evacuation, January 8, 1916. The French dug-outs on the ridge bordering the grove remain well-preserved, but then the French had elephant iron roofing instead of the tarred blankets supplied to British troops. Several men, however, recognise the site of their own "rest camps," where the lines of former shallow dug-outs are faintly distinguishable.

### Buried Treasure

We bathe in Morio Bay, in water crystal-clear and icy cold. It is wonderfully quiet—and "Asiatic Annie," the famous big gun across the Straits, is only a war-time memory.

British cemeteries mark the site of Skew Bridge, Pink Farm, Redoubt and Twelve Tree Copse, all well designed and beautiful with iris, stock and rosemary, the flower of remembrance. The Turks have a memorial, but they have never collected their own dead on Gallipoli.

Past Backhouse Post and far up on the left of the Krithia road, I readily recognised the Vineyard, once a shambling, although previously I had never had anything but a worm's-eye view of it. High-explosive blasted away every square foot of that tragic acre in the summer of '15, yet the vines, which have never been cultivated since, are freshly green in the Vineyard to-day, and, I am told, bore a crop of grapes for the first time last season.

Even in peace time, the hill Achil Baba frustrates us. Lack of time compels us to turn back.

It is good to get off the Peninsula to a hot bath and excellent meal in the liner. I inform several eager inquirers that there has been no time to locate the tree where I saw a man bury a purse in January, '16, but that in the Dardanelles towns and villages there have been rumours

that a Sedd-el-Bahr peasant unearthed £45 in golden sovereigns last year.

My friend Lt. Connell, R.N.V.R., reports that he located a buried jar of rum, but that through over-eagerness he struck his entrenching tool against it, and the precious liquid drained into the ground. However, knowing human scepticism, he has retained a fragment of the rum jar for "proof!"

### Turks' Big Gun

Turkish notabilities from Chanak come off to dine in the *Duchess of Richmond*, and among them is the gentleman many of us would have given our Maconochie rations to have met in '15—the O.C. "Asiatic Annie."

Through an interpreter, I had a long chat with this officer, Mehmet Bey, a likeable kind of man with bald brown head and many rippling crow's-feet at the corners of his eyes. He tells me that Annie was roughly of 11in calibre, and the gun moved frequently its position in the In Tepe area of Asia, although she never "ran on rails," as many of our troops surmised.

He says also that, late in the campaign, a British monitor firing over Rabbit Island, in the Aegean Sea, scored a direct hit, killing five men and putting the gun out of action for six days.

In return I tell him how, on the last night of the evacuation, we had a bugler posted on Sedd-el-Bahr fort to sound the long G for warning each time he saw Annie's yellow flash. Mehmet Bey states that the warning bugle note reached him faintly across the Straits.

After a night's sleep, I do two things I have wanted to do for nineteen years—enter ruined Krithia village and scale the summit of Achil Baba. My companions are two ex-officers of the Royal Army Medical Corps.

### Magnitude Of Task

The treacherous cliffs and nullahs of Achil, the well-sited trenches, the former gun emplacements, reveal clearly the magnitude of the Allied task. "A second Gibraltar," comments one of my companions, and the other on the summit remarks: "From here you can see everything except the unexploded shells at the bottom of the sea."

We return by way of the Valley of Soghanli Dere, where the Turkish Field Ambulance had comfortable headquarters, and our ancient motor-car bumps over rough roads and broken bridges through Kilid Bahr and Maidos village, which once was razed by the guns of the British Fleet. Our chauffeur is an ex-captain of Turkish infantry who fought against us, and the 18-year-old youth who rides on the foot-board to replenish a leaky radiator with water at frequent intervals, lost his father in 1915, killed by a British shell.

On arrival back at Khelia Bay I see a former rating of our Royal Naval Division arm-in-arm with a Turk. The man, Blackburn, whom I knew well in the war days, has lost his left hand; the Turk has his right arm missing. Someone interprets the Turk's smiling comment on the situation: "We are brothers."

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## CHICKEN DIES IN MAN'S POCKET.

### Policeman Reprimanded

Lo Fuk, a 27-year-old unemployed Chinese, was sentenced to one month's hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's court for stealing a small chicken, valued at 40 cents.

The Indian policeman, who arrested him, said that he found a live chicken in the defendant's pocket. He left it in his pocket and took him to the police station where it was found that the chicken was dead.

Mr. Wynne Jones remarked on the stupidity of the constable and said he should pay the 40 cents to the owner.



## UNUSUAL DEBT CASE DEFENCE

Son Admits Forging Father's Chop.

### DELIBERATE PERJURY ALLEGED AND JUDGMENT RESERVED

Judgment was reserved by Mr. Justice P. Jackson in an action brought in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction this morning by Yuen Kam-chuen, of No. 29, Tang Lung Street, against the Chun Mok-kee Tea House Firm, of Nos. 6a, and 6b, West Street, Quarry Bay, for \$1,000, alleged to have been lent on a promissory note.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan represented the plaintiff, the defence being conducted by Mr. F. H. Loseby.

The case, which was adjourned from last Thursday afternoon, took an unusual turn this morning when Chun Yun, son of Chun Mok-kee, owner of the defendant firm, giving evidence, admitted that he had committed theft and forgery, taking his father's chop for the purpose of chopping a promissory note for cash owed by him to the plaintiff.

Subjected to a severe cross-examination by Mr. Kwan, witness stated that he wrote and signed the promissory note, but that plaintiff would not accept it without a chop. He, therefore, went to his father's shop, removed the chop, chopped the note, and returned it, without his father's knowledge.

Closing his examination Mr. Kwan put it to witness that the money had actually been lent to his family, and that his father had chopped the note; this being a summary of plaintiff's evidence taken on Thursday last.

Witness denied that his father knew anything of the debt. He said the debt was his, and nothing to do with his family.

Mr. Loschy, addressing His Lordship, stated that either the plaintiff or defendant was committing deliberate perjury, their statements being so contradictory that no other view of the case could be taken.

Mr. Kwan stated that the chop was the most important thing in a Chinese business, and that it was most unusual for it to be allowed to lie about in a drawer where any unauthorised person could use it.

"The chop of a business of 40 years' standing, as this firm was, would be good for \$1,000 on good-will alone," he said.

Drawing attention to Chun's evidence, he remarked that the testimony of a man who deliberately admitted theft and forgery could be of no value.

His Lordship reserved his judgment until he had had time to peruse the evidence.

### WARRANT FOR THE ARREST OF CHAN LIM-PAK

(Continued From Page 1)

Mr. Chan Lim-pak was arrested on Tuesday, June 5, on a warrant issued at the instance of Mr. Johnson Wong, whose address is given as 20, Fort Street, North Point.

Mr. Wong was formerly employed in the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company and is now assistant manager of the Nam Tai Hong, a company which acts as chief distributing agent for the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company.

The charges against the defendant were in respect of three sums of \$500 each on March 31, July 31 and December 28, 1933.

FORMER BANK COMPRADORE

Mr. Chan Lim-pak first came into prominence about twenty years ago when he was compadore of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at Shameen, Canton. In 1923 he attained some political importance when as Chairman of the Canton Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and as Commander of the Canton Merchants Volunteer Corps, he clashed with the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen.

His corps was broken up, after much bloodshed and destruction, and Mr. Chan Lim-pak had to leave Canton.

Mr. Chan has been Managing Director of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company for some years, besides being interested in a number of other business concerns, including the China Emporium, of which he is a Director.

PROMINENT SOCIAL WORKER

In addition to his extensive business interests, Mr. Chan Lim-pak also found time for work in philanthropic, social and sporting spheres. He is a former



Lisbon.—Gen. Sanjurjo (right) recently released from a Spanish prison, gets a hearty greeting from a friend on his arrival in Lisbon. He was leader of the monarchist revolt in Spain in 1932. His freedom was gained with that of 2,000 other political prisoners, through the signing of the amnesty law, by the President of the Republic. It was the signing of that law that caused the Cabinet of Senor Lerroux to resign.

### NEW SHAMSHUIPO FIRE STATION

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### FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING TO-MORROW

Supplementary expenditure items, amounting to \$79,222.00, will be placed before the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council at a meeting following the Legislative Council meeting to-morrow.

The items include the proposal for a vote of \$15,000 for a Fire Station building at Shamshui; \$16,000 for Anti-Malaria works at Sookunpoo, and \$10,000 for the installation of a hot water system to the Maternity Block at the Victoria Hospital.

### DISPOSITION OF CHINA FLEET.

22 Vessels At Wei-Hai-Wei.

### R. M. S. KENT ARRIVES AT GIBRALTER

The following are the dispositions of the various units of the China Fleet, as advised by the Naval authorities this morning.

H. M. S. Kent, en route for China, arrived at Gibraltar yesterday, and is due at Singapore on July 15.

H. M. S. Grimsby is due in China in October.

H. M. S. Bridgewater is at Kobe. She sails to-morrow, and arrives at Kagoshima on Saturday.

H. M. S. Verity is at Swatow.

H. M. S. Sandwich is at Shanghai. She sails on Wednesday next arriving at Hankow on Monday June 25.

H. M. S. Suffolk, H. M. S. Cumberland, H. M. S. Berwick, H. M. S. Cornwall, H. M. S. Eagle, H. M. S. Adventure, H. M. S. Folkestone, H. M. S. Falmouth, H. M. S. Keppel, H. M. S. Whitehead, H. M. S. Wren, H. M. S. Osiris, H. M. S. Bruce, H. M. S. Medway and submarines H. M. S. S. Odin, H. M. S. Otus, H. M. S. Perseus and H. M. S. Rainbow are in Wei-Hai-Wei.

H. M. S. Wishart, H. M. S. Wild Swan, H. M. S. Whitehall, H. M. S. Proteus, H. M. S. Parthian, H. M. S. Pandora and H. M. S. Phoenix are in Hong Kong.

The s.s. Rawalpindi left Shanghai on Tuesday and is due to arrive here on Friday morning at 8 o'clock.

Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital Directorate, a former Chairman of the Canton Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and of the managing councils of a number of local Chinese sports institutions, including the Hong Kong Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation. He has given large

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## RIPTIDE

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### FOREWORD

At Cannes, Mary is accepted at once by Lady Riversleigh's gay crowd. To her surprise she discovers that Tommy Trent, rich, amusing, irresponsible playboy whom she had known in New York is there. They go to a gay party.

### CHAPTER V

THE party at Nina Port-alaiss's was all that Lady Riversleigh had said it would be—it was even more. Old and young, of all nationalities and seemingly of all ranks, were there, dancing, drinking, singing and making love. In the wild throng, Mary was surprised to see the Bagdalla—the Major one of the most formal of British army officers, his wife even more conservative if such a thing were possible, and their daughter who was so drab she looked and acted like a middle-aged spinster. Evidently the pace was too swift for them, for they were about to leave.

"Oh-ho!" taunted Tommy Trent, "so you are really Lady Rexford—not Mary Watts, after all. You look like yourself—you acted like it until you bumped into those frozen faces and then we poor white-trash don't mean a thing to you."

"Quiet," said Mary. "They're friends of Philip's."

"Mary, are you ashamed of your old friends?"

"Of course not—but I can't see any sense in snubbing—or shocking new ones. Just to prove I'm the old Mary, let's dance this one."

"Let's have a drink first—it's a rule of the house."

"Right-o."

Erskine, who had decided to go to the party even if Mary and Trent had left him behind, shook his fist at them in mock anger, as he entered the room and went in search of Lady Riversleigh. He refilled her glasses and got himself a drink.

### MUI TSAI UNPAID FOR FOUR YEARS.

Owner Changes Address.

Lo Yen, a married woman mui tsai owner, of No. 184, Queen's Road West, first floor, was fined \$15 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for failing to report a change of address.

She was also summoned for failing to pay wages to her mui tsai. Sub-Inspector H. W. Fraser stated that the mui tsai had not been paid for four years. Defendant said that she had sent some money to the girl's mother in the village.

### Personal Pars

Mrs. J. H. Taggart, wife of the Managing Director of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., leaves for San Francisco on Saturday by the s.s. President Hoover.

Mrs. F. J. de Rome, wife of the Headmaster of Queen's College, returns to the Colony by the Rajputana to-morrow.

The forthcoming wedding of Wong Kung-hin, of No. 210 Hennessy Road, Hong Kong, and Chan Fung-charm, of No. 26, Cheung Lok Street, Kowloon, is announced.

The forthcoming wedding of Ho Kin-sang, who was missionary, of No. 282 Hollywood Road, Hong Kong, and Wong Wai-chan, of No. 7, Puk Wa Street, Shamshui, is announced.

### CHINESE YOUTH KILLED

A Chinese boy, Chan Yu-chung, aged four years, was killed this morning as the result of a fall from the second floor window at No. 23 Tai Yuen Street last evening. He was taken to the Government Civil Hospital, suffering from severe head and body injuries from which he succumbed early this morning.

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	1934.	
RAJPUTANA	17,000 14th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000 14th June	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
TAKADA	7,000 23rd June	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
RANCHI	17,000 28th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
NELLORE	7,000 5th July	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000 12th July	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
CARTHAGE	15,000 12th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BURDWAN	6,000 11th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	17,000 26th July	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SANTHIA	8,000 27th July	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
TANDA	7,000 5th Aug.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
*SOMALI	7,000 7th Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000 10th Aug.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
CORFU	15,000 9th Aug.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama.
MANTUA	11,000 23rd Aug.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
NANKIN	7,000 2nd Sept.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
BANGALORE	6,000 5th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAWALPINDI	19,000 6th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

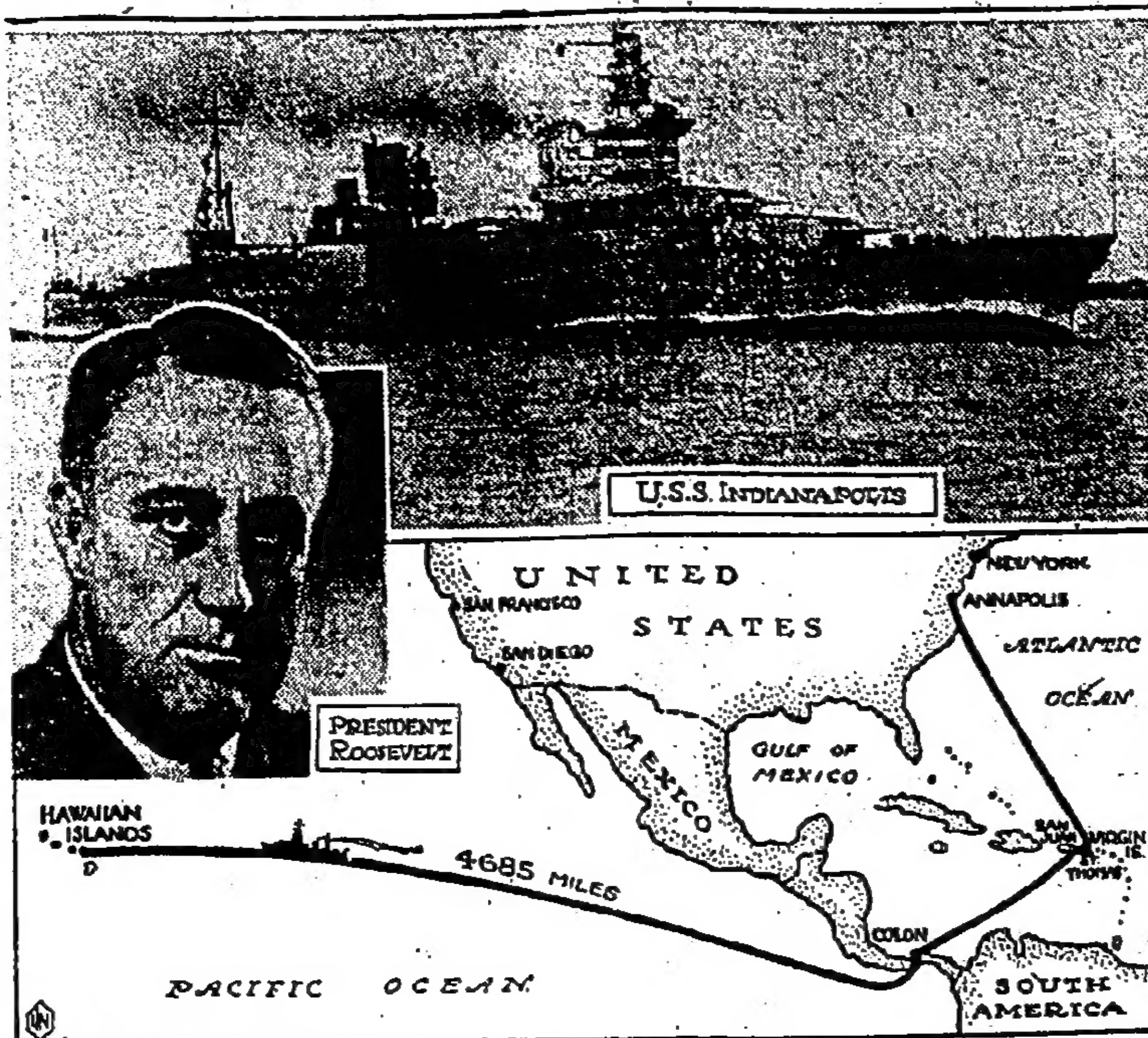
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## Craft and Probable Route of Roosevelt Cruise



Confident that Congress will finish up all major business by early June at the latest, President Roosevelt has set June 23 as the tentative date of departure for his cruise. Sailing from Annapolis, Md., on the cruiser Indianapolis and accompanied by an escort of two destroyers, the President will make his first stop at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, where he will make an inspection. The second stop will be at San Juan, Porto Rico, and the third at Canal Zone after the trip through the Panama Canal. After the 4,685-mile trip across the Pacific, the President will spend two or three days ashore at Honolulu and probably make a motor tour of the island. He will be accompanied by his two youngest sons, Franklin, Jr., and John. Two or three members of the White House staff are also expected to make the trip.

## CHESS CHAMPION VANQUISHED

### Two-Minute Victory For 6-Year-Old Boy.

#### BELGRADE URCHIN'S FEAT

The President of the champion chess club of Yugo-Slavia has been beaten—by a 6-year-old boy.

The Ljubljana Chess Club were celebrating a victory over picked players from Belgrade in a cafe, when the proprietor asked the President, an old Professor to play against his son, aged 6.

"Of course," said the President indulgently, "Where is he?"

The urchin was pulled from under a table, made to wash his hands, and—with three cushions on the chair to enable him to see over the edge of the table—sat down opposite the Professor.

The game began amid the laughter of the guests.

After a few moves, the small boy electrified his audience by taking the Professor's queen.

So his distinguished opponent, with furrowed brow, settled down to serious play.

Little Milorad was mated time after time—but, somehow, he always managed to extricate himself from the Professor's traps.

"I'll give you a shilling—if you win," cried the boy's father excitedly.

Milorad grinned—and, two minutes later, he had won the game!

He learned to play by watching the customers in his father's cafe. Now, although he can neither read, write nor add up figures, he can beat them all.

His feat in beating the astonished President of Yugo-Slavia's champion chess club indicates that he will grow up to be a world champion.

But Milorad confesses that he really prefers a game of marbles! —Reuter.

## CHINESE HONOUR FOR MUSSOLINI.

### Decorated At Banquet.

The Chinese Minister to Rome, Gen. Liu Wen-tao gave a banquet in honour of Signor Mussolini, the dinner being attended by Count Ciano del Cortellazzo, formerly of Shanghai, the Under-Secretary of State, Flavio Suvich, Marquis Marconi, and other well-known public figures of Italy.

During the dinner the best presented II Duce with the Grand Cross of the Jade Order, a decoration never before awarded to a foreigner, reports a Transoceanic message.

## RIPTIDE (Continued from Page 9).

Then without warning, before she realised what was happening, he kissed her. She pulled herself away from him. Again he kissed her and then she faced him sternly.

"What makes you think you can get away with that?"

"I wanted to—I've been wanting to all along."

"You've spoiled everything," she said. "And just when I was having such a glorious time."

"When girls like you turn into prudes—"

"I'm not a prude. Just because I don't want to kiss you, you have no right to say that. You're crazy."

"All right, be cross. This swell marriage has gone to your head."

"Perhaps," said Mary gently, "it has gone to my heart."

"As it should," said Tommy, with a sudden change in mood. "I'm sorry, Mary, if I offended you. My one excuse is that I lost my head. Don't take it too seriously, dear. Let's be friends."

She held out her hand and he took it gently in his.

"We'll forget it," she said. "I'm fond of you, Tommy—I always have been. It was my fault as much as yours. This place goes to one's head."

"Yes,—and not altogether yes," said Tommy, in a low voice. "I want to tell you, Mary, I'd marry you if you were free—and would have me. I've never said that to any woman, before. I've never felt this way about any one in all my life."

Mary was touched, but her instinct told her to make light of this.

"Why me of all people?" she asked. "Because you have breadth and understanding and you know what it's all about. You're honest and you can laugh."

His arm had gone round her and he drew her, unresisting, to him. He kissed her tenderly. She must do something. This could not go on.

"I'd like a drink," she said. "Will you get me one?"

"It will be yours in a moment," he said as he made a dash for the bar.

But when he returned he saw Mary running toward the drive. He followed her, but she had a head start. She jumped into her car and was down the road as fast as she could go. He leaped into his car and was off, after her.

### CHAPTER VI.

Erskine, who had seen Mary running for her car pursued by Tommy, dashed after them and just managed to jump on the running board of the latter's car as it sprang forward at terrific speed.

"What do you want, nosey?" demanded Tommy in an ominous tone. "To keep you from making more of a fool of yourself and a scandal of Lady Bexford than you already have?" came the firm reply. "If you're interested, you may like to know this at first of yours' has created quite a buzz."

Tommy made no reply. All his attention was concentrated on keeping up with Mary's car. Erskine was silent because it was perilous keeping his foothold at such break-neck speed.

Mary won the race and as Tommy leaped from his car and ran into the lobby of the hotel, the elevator door slammed shut behind her. Not waiting for another car, he dashed up the stairs, followed by Erskine. He reached the corridor just as she ran into her suite, closed the door and turned the lock. It could not be said that Tommy knocked on the door—he banged. There was no sound from within.

"Stop these wild carrying-ons!" said Erskine, taking him by the arm. "She evidently has no intention of opening the door and you can't batter it down."

Tommy muttered something which sounded like a curse, but he did follow Erskine into their suite. He went directly to the telephone and when the office answered, asked for Room 380. Mary, who had sunk down on a chaise longue, all but exhausted, picked up the receiver. When she heard Tommy's voice, she made no answer—except the very eloquent one of leaving the receiver off the hook. She waited a few minutes. Then she replaced the receiver and asked the operator to put through a call for Lord Bexford at his hotel in Washington. Then she left the receiver off again.

"Won't get your call that way," warned Celeste, the faithful maid who had kept house for her and Sylvia in New York, and who had joined her in London soon after her marriage.

"They say it will take two hours," she explained. "He'll calm down by then."

"A fine place this is, for all its looks," complained Celeste. "Drunks beating on doors. I was scared."

"Well, he is a home product," laughed Mary. "You remember Tommy Trent, don't you?"

"Oh, that one! No wonder. I always thought he was daffy."

Tommy, meanwhile, was pacing up and down the room. His eyes were wild. He was raving incoherently. Slick, his valet, was not unaccustomed to his erratic behaviour at times, but this went beyond anything he had ever seen. He stared at him round-eyed.

"To bed, you!" thundered Tommy as he suddenly noticed Slick. He was glad to go, but he went out shaking his head.

"Tommy, calm down," said Erskine pleadingly. "You can't do anything. If she doesn't want to see you, that is well within her right."

"Calm down!" raged Tommy. "Who are you to tell me what to do? Whenever I find something—the moment I find I really like it—must have it—away it goes!"

"She's married," said Erskine. "So was Cleopatra. That girl was all I needed."

"Cleopatra? Never supposed you knew her," said Erskine. He was

hoping, so mercurial could Tommy's moods be, that he could make him laugh. If he could do that, all might yet be well.

But Tommy did not laugh. He glared at Erskine. He would not give up yet.

"You can write her off your next income tax report, as an unavoidable loss."

Tommy gave no sign of having heard this would-be facetious remark. He kept on pacing the long floor and talking, half to himself, half to Erskine.

"She trembled—she fluttered like a leaf—"

"Well she'll tremble and she'll flutter just as well to-morrow."

"Not this one. She has conscience writ large on her. At this moment— I know her, I tell you—she's cooling off like some volcano that's changed its mind about wiping out a lot of Italian villages."

"I don't see what you can do about that—volcano or this pretty woman."

"You wouldn't!" said Tommy scornfully. "You're just like everybody else—everybody but me. You want something but only in a half-hearted way. If you can't have it, you give in and mope around until you find something else you want. Well, I'm not that kind. When I want a thing, I want it and I've got the guts to fight for it."

"Nobody gets everything he wants," said Erskine.

"Says who?" demanded Tommy. "You'll see! I will not be thwarted."

"Of course you can phone her," said Erskine sarcastically.

It was the worst thing he could have said. What little sanity was left in Tommy Trent, went. He looked wildly around the room. Then as his eye fell on one of the long French windows leading out on the balcony, his face lighted up.

"Why didn't I think of it before!" he said and suddenly burst into a loud laugh.

Erskine gave a sigh of relief—Tommy had laughed! But his feeling of relaxed tension was of short duration. Tommy rushed out on the balcony; Erskine following.

"See," said Tommy, indicating

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## MONOPOLY CRAZE IN MANCHUKUO.

### Attempt To Control Price Of Cattle.

The craze for monopolies in Manchukuo continues unabated. It is now reported that an attempt is being made to form a company for controlling the purchase price of cattle.

At the same time, another "brain trust" is trying to engineer a monopoly for the merchandising of all patent medicines.

These schemes, together with that for a milk monopoly, launched under the misleading slogan of "pure milk," are but a few of the many masked attempts to corner various businesses to the detriment of public interest.

the parapaet. "I can climb that. Why did I stand around wasting time, when all the while this blessed balcony and that other one and that other one awaited me."

Now Erskine was really alarmed. He knew Tommy, despite his wild life, was strong and lithe and agile. But to leap from one balcony to another—and to another! It spelled suicide. He grasped Tommy's arm with both his hands vice-like.

"You'll kill yourself!" he said. "She's worth it."

"No woman is worth it—no woman ever was."

"I can make it—I will make it!" declared Tommy, as if his friend had not spoken. He shook off the restraining hands, and ran back on the parapet, in preparation for a running jump. Erskine, frozen with terror was motionless, as Tommy took the leap.

He made it! The next jump was a longer one. "Don't try that one!" shouted Erskine.

He saw Tommy run—leap—There was a thundering crash as something hit an awning two floors below and crashed on a marble floor.

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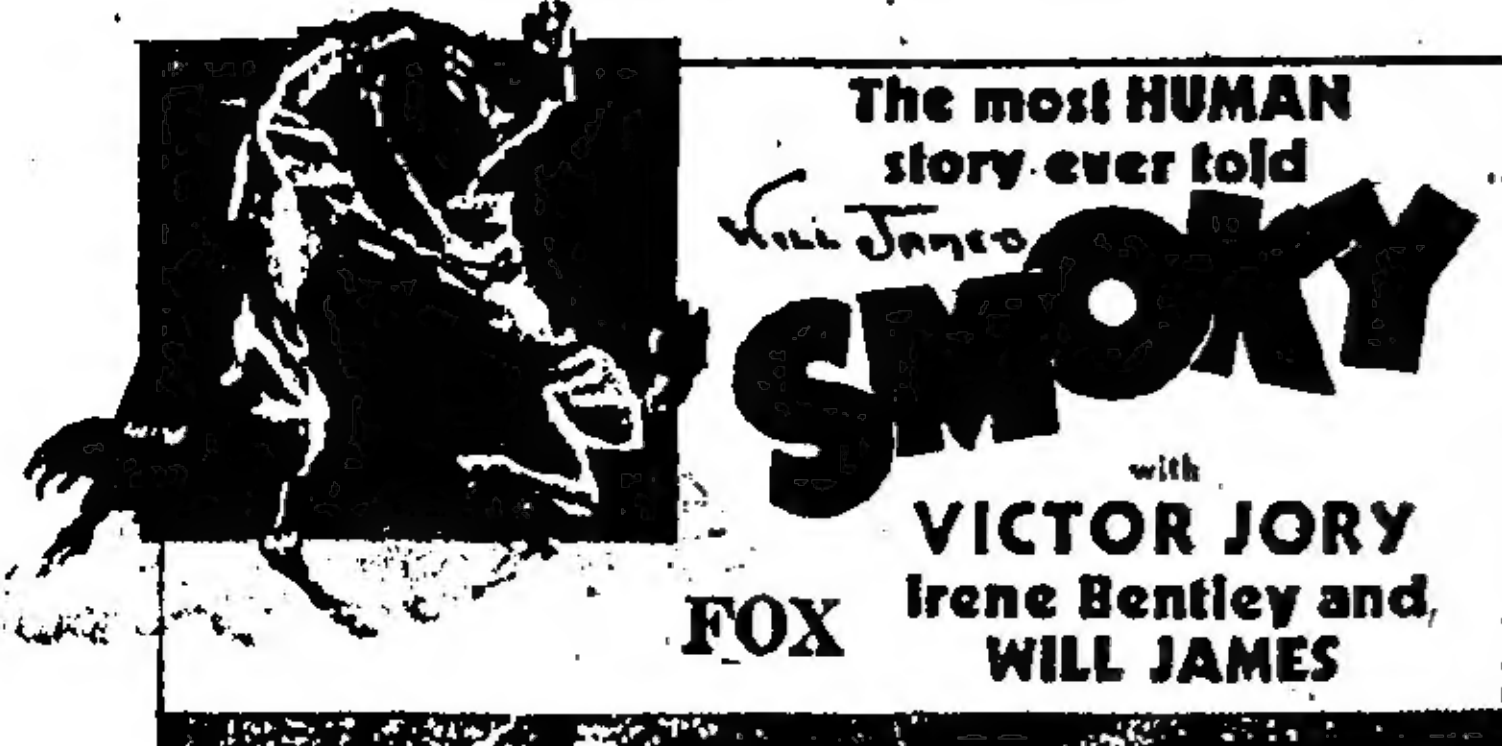
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## FEDERAL RESERVE REPORT.

New Recommendations  
 To Congress.

PREVENTING CREDIT  
 INFLATION.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
 (By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received June 13, 8.30 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.  
 The 1933 report of the Federal Reserve Bank states that the open market of United States bonds by Federal Reserve Banks for the past four years was an important factor in easing the credit situation and arresting deflation.

Its recommendations to Congress include one whereby the reserve requirements of member banks should be based on rapidity of turnover as well as size to prevent possible credit inflation. —United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

## NO ENTHUSIASM ON WALL STREET.

Steel Strike Threat  
 Causes Concern.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
 (By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received June 13, 8.30 a.m.)

New York, To-day.  
 Trading enthusiasm on Wall Street is quiet, despite the firmness.

Favourable factors are the improved demand for cotton goods and the increased interest in some commodities.

Unfavourable factors are the acute threats of a steel strike and the continuance of concern over the make-up of the Stock Exchange Control Commission. —United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

## U.S. INFLATION BILL QUASHED.

Rainey Bars Measure.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
 (By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received June 13, 8.22 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.  
 The Speaker of the House of Representatives, Mr. Henry T. Rainey, by Parliamentary ruling, has definitely barred consideration of the Frazier-Lemke Inflation Bill. The measure provides for the re-financing of farm mortgages. —United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

## BELGIAN MISSION IN LONDON

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The special envoy will be received by His Majesty the King at Buckingham Palace this morning. In the afternoon the Duc Dursel will lay a wreath on the Cenotaph.

On Thursday members of the mission will be entertained to a luncheon by Their Majesties, and will be guests at a Government dinner given in their honour at the Foreign Office. —British Wireless Service.

## ANOTHER HIT FOR MARCUS SHOW

Comedians Rock Full  
 House With Laughter.

CLEVER ACROBATIC ACT

The Greater Marcus Show, with its bevy of beautiful chorines, clever dancers, acrobats, comedians and singers, continues to be the biggest drawing card in the Colony's entertainment.

Playing to a crowded house last night, the Extravaganza Francals, "La Vie Paree", scored yet another success. It would be invidious to select any particular ensemble for outstanding merit. Each episode was a masterpiece of stage-setting with youth and beauty to set off the striking costumes.

The "big band", however, was obviously extended to the comedians, Ben McAtee and Leon Miller, who, with their quips and jests and clever tap dancing, kept the house roaring with laughter.

The Bounding Ali Babas, in their clever acrobatic act, was another outstanding item on the programme, while Les Sechrist, with his accordion was twice forced to return to the stage in response to the audience's demand for encores.

The claim of Mr. A. B. Marcus that the troupe is the best ever brought to the Far East is well-founded, and judging from the appreciation demonstrated by the audience, the Queen's Theatre is assured of capacity bookings for the full run of the show.

## YANKEES LEAD BUT GAME WASHED OUT

Babe Ruth Hits  
 Home Run.

BIG WIN FOR GIANTS

New York, To-day.  
 The major league baseball game between the Yankees and the Browns was abandoned yesterday in the fourth innings, owing to heavy rain, with the New Yorkers leading by 3 to 1. Babe Ruth hit a homer for the Yankees, while DeBgarns banged out a four-bagger for the Browns. The game is, however, nullified. Chicago and Washington were unable to clash owing to rain, and the game between Cleveland and Philadelphia was also abandoned. Results as cabled by Reuter were.

### National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	12	19	1
Jackson hit a homer.			
Cincinnati	1	8	3
Brooklyn	9	15	0
Pittsburgh	7	14	2
Philadelphia	5	7	0
Chicago	6	7	1
Chuck Klein hit a homer.			
Boston	3	13	1
St. Louis	7	15	0
Martin and Collins hit homers.			

### American League

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	4	8	0
Boston	2	7	1

## ROOSEVELT SIGNS TARIFF BILL.

Wider Powers For  
 President.

INEXPLICABLE DELAY.

**SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.**  
 (By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received June 13, 4.22 a.m.)  
 Washington, To-day.

The White House yesterday announced that President Roosevelt would sign the Tariff Bill to-night. It was originally scheduled for signature yesterday. The delay is not explained. —United Press, per S.C. Gold Bar Co.

**WIDE POWERS FOR ROOSEVELT.**  
 Washington, To-day.

President Roosevelt has signed the Tariff Bill. The Bill gives the President powers to negotiate reciprocal tariff and trade agreements with foreign countries.

These powers include:

1. To enter into foreign trade agreements with foreign Governments.

2. To proclaim modification of existing duties (not exceeding 50 per cent.) or other import restrictions as are required to carry out the proposed foreign trade agreements.

The President would not have authority to transfer articles from the free list to a dutiable list, or vice versa, under the terms of the Bill, but the threat that such action might be recommended to Congress would be a potential bargaining instrument for the President.

## AN ANGLO-POLISH TRADE PACT.

Negotiations To Start  
 This Month.

London, To-day.  
 Dr. E. L. Burgin, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, yesterday stated in the House of Commons that negotiations with Poland for a trade agreement had not yet begun, but it was hoped to start them this month. —British Wireless Service.

## BUS COLLIDES WITH TRAFFIC ISLAND.

Swerved To Avoid  
 Kowloon Pedestrian.

While travelling down Nathan Road at 3.10 p.m. yesterday, just outside the Bus Company, Bus No. 95, swerved to avoid a Chinese, who was walking across the road, and struck the traffic island at the junction of Lai Chi-kok and Nathan Roads.

No serious damage was caused, as the bus hit the island at an angle.

## 100-Year-Old Waterloo Bridge To Be Rebuilt Out Of Revenue

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Waterloo Bridge is 100 years old. Owing to the subsidence of the piers due to the lowering of the river bed caused by the scour of the stream at this point, it has not been in full use for 10 years, and a temporary structure alongside has carried part of the traffic. —British Wireless Service.

## BREWERY SHOWS LOSS

A loss of \$2,391.08, was sustained on the year's working by the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers, Ltd., the second annual general meeting of which will be held tomorrow at Ruton Building at noon.

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